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RUSSIAN WARSHIPS RIDDLED BY JAPANESE SHELLS

PEOPLE ARE NOT SATISFIED

Supervisors Demand Another Prosecutor in Weber Case.

AUBURN, Dec. 6.—The Board of Supervisors today unanimously adopted a resolution urgently and respectfully requesting Attorney-General Webb to come to Auburn to assist District Attorney Robinson in the discharge of his duties, so far as they relate to the prosecution of Adolph Weber, upon the information for the murder of his mother, Mary Weber.

The resolution states that "the request is made for the reason that it has been made to appear to the Board that a very large number of prominent and substantial citizens of Placer county, who have carefully observed the conduct of the District Attorney, during the preliminary examination of Adolph Weber and the proceedings before the coroner's jury concerning the murder of the Weber family, are of the opinion that the District Attorney is not equal to the conduct and management of the prosecution;

"That it is represented to the Board and it is satisfied that the District Attorney does not realize the magnitude of the undertaking before him, nor of the responsibilities that have been thrust upon his office, and that he intends to assume the conduct and management of the case, and unless steps are taken to prevent it, the public service will suffer great detriment thereby;

"That the District Attorney has refused and continues to refuse the aid of able and efficient counsel, which the relatives of the murdered family have tendered him, and such aid as the public generally have demanded that he accept.

"The Board, therefore, knowing of no other course open to it, as representative of the public, to prevent a probable miscarriage of justice, urgently and respectfully requires the Attorney-General to grant its request."

A copy of the resolution was also signed to be sent to the Governor.

District Attorney Robinson had previously informed the Board that under a decision of the Supreme Court, it could not grant him the assistant asked for yesterday, the county government act applicable to this county not allowing it.

MESSAGE READ IN SENATE

OATH ADMINISTERED TO SENATORS KNOX AND CRANE.

WASHINGTON, December 6.—Immediately after the convening of the Senate today Senators Allison and Cockrell, constituting the committee to wait upon the President, reported that the President had expressed inention to communicate with the Senate through a message in writing.

Before the message arrived Mr. Penrose and Mr. Lodge presented the credentials of Messrs. Knox and Crane, the newly appointed Senators from Pennsylvania and Massachusetts, respectively, and the oath of office was administered to them.

The message was delivered to the Senate by Mr. Barnes, assistant secretary to the President, and its reading immediately began.

RUSSIAN CRUISER ARRIVES.

ALGIERS, December 6.—The Russian cruiser Rion (formerly the Smolensk) and two torpedo boats arrived here today.

CRUISERS SAILED EASTWARD.

TANGIER, Morocco, December 6.—The Russian cruisers Oleg and Izumrud sailed today, going eastward.

ROBBER IS NOT CAUGHT.

Officers Are Patroling the Railroad in South.

LOS ANGELES, December 6.—Notwithstanding that scores of deputy sheriffs and police officers are patroling the Santa Fe railroad nearly all the way from Daggett to Needles and the surrounding country is being searched to the remotest corner for some trace of the bandit who yesterday looted the Wells Fargo Express car at Daggett, Cal., after shooting and perhaps fatally wounding Express Messenger Evan Roberts, the man is still at large.

The first suspect arrested, a negro, who was taken in custody at Barstow yesterday, arrived in this city today in care of officers and has been lodged in the city jail. Wells Fargo officials state, however, that they do not believe he is the man wanted. Several other parties have been apprehended at various places on suspicion of being the guilty parties, but it is believed that the right man has not yet been captured.

The Wells Fargo Express Company has offered a reward of $1000 for the capture of the bandit. This offer has been supplemented by one for a similar amount from the Santa Fe Railway Company and $300 from the State. The large reward has attracted a number of posses who are searching every foot of the territory in the neighborhood of the hold-up where a man could secret himself and it is not believed that he can possibly succeed in escaping. The country for miles in every direction from Daggett is a Barren desert with no avenue of escape, except by way of the railway.

Messenger Roberts is still alive this morning and the physicians say that he stands about one chance in a hundred of recovery. He is yet considered too weak to attempt to make any identification of the man who shot him.

Assistant Superintendent Pridham of Wells Fargo stated this morning that the amount of money taken from the way safe is about $300. Several checks and drafts, including one for $5000 were also taken but payment on these has been stopped and the robber will hardly take the chance of making an attempt to cash them.

OFFICIALS SENT TO JAIL.

SENTENCED TO PRISON FOR FRAUD AT THE ELECTION.

DENVER, Colo., December 6.—Six more election officials were sent to jail today by the State Supreme Court for disregarding the injunction order at the late election.

The sentences were as follows: William Reid, S. S. Barker, John E. Dixon and John Sullivan, nine months imprisonment and $500 fine, with costs each; Willis E. Spencer, four months imprisonment; Charles W. Bunch, three months imprisonment.

Sullivan was Democratic committeeman; Reid, Barker and Spencer, judges and Dixon and Bunch clerks in Precinct 9 of Ward 5 in this city, the ballot box of which was opened in court last Friday, disclosing many fraudulent ballots.

THE OPPOSING FORCES AT PORT ARTHUR: THE RUSSIANS CHARGING THE JAPANESE.

WARSHIP BLOWN UP

Japanese Armored Cruiser Runs on a Mine.

MOSCOW, December 6.—A special dispatch from Vladivostok says that a steamer which has just arrived there from Shanghai reports that the Japanese armored cruiser Adzuma has been blown up and sunk by a mine.

COLD WEATHER.

GENERAL OKU'S HEADQUARTERS, December 5, 3 p. m. via Fusan, December 6.—In the villages near the actual firing line the damaged houses are being repaired and others are in course of erection, while scores of wells are being dug. The villages are being denuded of trees, from which quantities of fuel are cut, and there are many other indications that it is the intention of the Japanese to remain in their present entrenched lines for the winter.

The cold weather is not affecting the Japanese soldiers, although the temperature has already reached a few degrees above zero. There are few sick among the troops.

SHIPS DAMAGED.

TOKIO, December 6.—The effective bombardment of the Russian battleships in Port Arthur, which began on Saturday last, was one of the results of the capture of 203-Meter hill. Up to that time the warships had been able to seek shelter from the Japanese fire under Pei Yu mountain, but the capture of 203-Meter hill November 29-30, enabled the Japanese to train their guns on the Russian vessels with the result that a number of them have been set on fire and the others must either put to sea or suffer irreparable damage.

NO NEWS.

CHEFOO, December 6, evening.—No news was received here from Port Arthur to-day.

BRINGS SUIT TO RECOVER MONEY

Suit has been begun by Thomas Crawford against Margaret Walsh of this city in behalf of the law firm of Gamble, Tripp & Holman of Yankton, South Dakota, for the sum of $1350 due for legal services rendered by them or their representatives in representing Margaret Walsh in the settlement of the estate of Ellen Seaman, whose estate is now being probated at Woodland, Yolo county.

A considerable portion of this money is for expenses incurred by the firm in sending a lawyer to this State, while $500 is due Hart H. Noth for work done in connection with the matter. None of the money has been paid and suit has now been begun owing to the refusal of the defendant to pay the bill.

NAMED FOR OFFICE

Secretary Metcalf's Name Goes Before the Senate.

WASHINGTON, December 6.—A large batch of nominations were sent to the Senate by the President today, many of them recess appointments, which included four Cabinet positions, as follows:

Attorney-General, William H. Moody of Massachusetts.

Postmaster-General, Robert J. Wyrne, of Pennsylvania.

Secretary of the Navy, Paul Morton of Illinois.

Secretary of Commerce and Labor, Victor H. Metcalf of California.

Important postoffice nominations sent to the Senate includes:

William R. Willcox, at New York, and James A. Merritt of New York, at Washington, D. C.

Other nominations were as follows:

Purchasing Agent for the Postoffice Department, W. E. Cockran of Kansas.

Minister Resident and Consul-General, Thomas C. Dawson of Iowa, at Santo Domingo.

Second Secretary of the Embassy of the United States, Robert W. Bliss of New York at St. Petersburg.

Third Secretary of the Embassy of the United States, Francis C. Landon, of New York, at Berlin.

Secretary of Legation and Consul-General, Montgomery Schuyler Jr., of New York at Bangkok, Siam.

Secretary of Legation, William Blumenthal of New York, at Lisbon, Portugal; Charles Richardson of Massachusetts at Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.

Consuls General—Frank Dyer of Chester, Mass., at Buda Pest, Hungary; Hezekiah Gadder, North Carolina at Panama; Julius G. Lay, District of Columbia at Canton, China; Henry D. Miller of Oregon, at Newchwang, China; Daniel Mayer, West Virginia, at Buenos Ayres; Benj. H. Ridgeley, Kentucky, at Barcelona, Spain; William E. Wright, Pennsylvania, at Munich, Bavaria.

CONFIDENTIAL CLERK IS $16,000 SHORT

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill., Dec. 6.—Charles Frost, for a number of years confidential clerk and bookkeeper of two firms connected with the National Stock Yards of East St. Louis, is under arrest on a warrant charging him with being $16,000 short in his accounts, sworn out at the instance of Tarleton, Coy & Lens.

FLEET IS RIDDLED.

Japanese Hammering the Russian Ships in Harbor.

TOKIO, December 6, 6 p. m.—The following report has been received from the headquarters of the Japanese army before Port Arthur:

"On December 3 our naval guns (on 203 Meter hill) bombarded the enemy's ships.

"The battleship Pobieda was struck six times. On a vessel of the type of the battleship Retvizan and on eight other ships 16 of our shells took effect.

"On Monday, December 5, following the same plan, we hit the Pobeida seven times, the battleship Poltava 11 times and the Retvizan 11 times.

"At about 3 o'clock on the afternoon of the same day one of our shells struck a magazine south of Pai Yu mountain. This caused a heavy explosion and a conflagration followed which was not extinguished for two hours.

"On the same day our heavy guns were directed against the enemy's ships. The battleship Peresviet was struck twice. Two more shells were lodged on other ships.

"A vessel of the type of the battleship Poltava was observed to be on fire and for one hour sent out great volumes of smoke.

"The attacking operation against Sungshu mountain and the forts to the eastward are carried on day and night.

"Two 36-milimeter quick-firing guns were captured on Sunday, December 4, on the half moon counterscarp of Rihlung mountain."

MUST TESTIFY ABOUT CAROLINE

LONDON, December 6.—Summonses have been issued at Bow Street Police Court against Burke Ruche and Mr. Sinnett in connection with the delivery of the turbine yacht Caroline to the Russians at Libau, early in October last. The action was taken at the instance of the public prosecutor.

EASTERN TEMPERATURES.

CHICAGO, Dec. 6.—Temperatures at 7 a. m.:

New York, 30; Boston, 26; Philadelphia, 30; Washington, 30; Chicago, 20; Minneapolis, 24; Cincinnati, 22; St. Louis, 30.

DR. BARBEE DEAD.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 6—Dr. James D. Barbee, a leader in Southern Methodism, is dead at his home here, aged 72.

DENIES INSANITY REPORT.

OBERLIN, O., Dec. 6.—A. B. Spear, cashier of the closed Citizens' National Bank, denies the report that his wife has become insane as a result of his troubles.

TRYING TO GET A JURY.

Nan Patterson Hopes to Get Men Who Will Favor Her.

NEW YORK, December 6.—With only three jurors chosen as a result of the first day's work it was evident when the case of Nan Patterson for the murder of Caesar Young was resumed in the Supreme Court today that more time would be required for the preliminaries than in the first trial. The examination of candidates for jury duty is being prosecuted with the greatest care and particular attention is being given to the condition of the health of the talesmen to prevent, if possible, a repetition of the occurrence which brought the previous trial to a sudden termination. In addition to this precaution, medical experts are kept close at hand in case it becomes necessary to make an expert inquiry into the physical condition of the prospective juror.

As one after another of the talesmen takes his place on the stand to undergo a searching examination by the attorneys for both the prosecution and the defense, he is subjected to the searching scrutiny of the accused woman. In the first trial it was said that Nan Patterson chose her own jury. The attorney for the defense always looks for a nod of approval, or a head shake, indicating her dissatisfaction before the final word is given. When the first trial came to a sudden and unexpected end she expresesd regret.

"I was sure that the jury would acquit me," she said as she was led away to her cell in the Tombs. From her attitude thus far it seems evident that she will do her best to select twelve men who will be acceptable to her as were the others. This time she has 200 from whom she may make her selections.

Aside from Miss Patterson herself, the most interesting figure in the case is her gray-haired father, J. Randolph Patterson of Washington. Ever since his daughter was charged with murder six months ago, Mr. Patterson has given his whole time to her case. In the previous trial he was always among the first to enter the court room and through the long daily sessions he sat always at his daughter's side. He was the first to welcome her when she came from her cell in the morning and the last to bid her good night. In this trial the now familiar figure is to be seen each day in its accustomed place.

FRENCH BARK LOST IN CHANNEL

CALAIS, France, Dec. 6.—The French bark Madeline, from Iquique, Chile, September 17th, for Dunkirk, has been lost in the channel. Her crew of fifteen men took to the boats, from which they were rescued by a steamer and landed at Granville, department of the Manche.

LEAVE FOR JAPAN.

ST. LOUIS, December 6.—The hairy Ainus from Northern Japan, who were brought to the World's Fair seven months ago, left St. Louis today on the journey homeward. The Ainus are the last of the primitive tribes to leave the World's Fair.

CONTINUATION AUCTION SALE

of furniture, rugs, carpets, etc., at 1007 Clay street, Oakland, Wednesday, December 7th, at 11 a. m.

J. A. MUNRO & CO.,

Auctioneers, 1007 Clay street, Oakland. Telephone Brown 141. Call Building, San Francisco. Telephone Main 5137.

TRIED TO CRACK A SAFE.

Burglars Take a Big Chance in a Berkeley Office.

BERKELEY, December 6.—For the chance of securing the meager sum of $1.75, safe-crackers made a desperate attempt last night to blow open the safe in the office of the People's Express Company, 2211 Shattuck avenue. The robbers were evidently frightened away in the midst of their operations or their plans failed to carry, for they abandoned the task in the midst of their operations.

MOVE THE SAFE.

After barricading the front door of the office, the burglars drilled a hole in the lock of the steel receptacle and then placing it on a truck, hauled it into a rear room. For some reason the explosive which was to have been inserted in the lock was not set off, and the marauders left without taking anything from the premises.

USE A STEEL DRILL.

A five-eighths of an inch drill was used and a hole three-fourths of an inch deep was bored. The steel shavings were left on the floor but the burglars were careful to remove their tools and all other evidence that might lead to a clew.

Had the burglars been successful they would have secured but little cash for their trouble, as but $1.75 was left in the cash box, the other money of the company having been deposited in the bank.

CRAWL THROUGH A WINDOW.

Entrance to the office was gained through a small rear window. The aperture through which the burglars climbed is 18 by 14 inches in dimensions and they had no trouble in reaching it by walking in the alley at the rear of the Hinkle Block.

BARRICADED THE DOOR.

Before commencing operations the safe-crackers had taken the precaution to barricade the front door with heavy boxes. When J. R. Hudson, the local manager of the company, attempted to open the door he found his entrance barred and it was with difficulty that the boxes were finally removed.

SUSPECTS AMATEURS.

Marshal Charles T. Kerns, who has placed his deputies at work on the case is of the opinion that the attempted safe-cracking is the work of amateurs.

"Judging from the way in which the robbery was attempted leads me to believe that it was young men or boys who attempted to crack the safe last night," said Marshal Kerns. "While the robbers were at work they evidently heard a slight noise, which caused them to lose their nerve and abandon the job."

FURNITURE AUCTION

on Thursday, December 8th, 11 a. m. at the handsome 6 room flat, 842 Jefferson street, corner of Seventh. Elegant upright piano, parlor upholstery, extention table, chair, fancy rockers, almost new carpets, bed room sets, kitchen range, hall hat rack, couches, curtains, iron beds, crockery, glassware, sewing machine, etc. Ladies attend as goods are as good as new and will be sold peremptory rain or shine. Flat to let.

MEYSELL & MEYSELL,

Auctioneers. Office 401 Eighth street, corner Franklin. Telephone Cedar 621.

CREDITORS' SALE

of three thousand dollars worth of toys, dolls, lamps, albums, fancy glassware, etc., at No. 1007 Clay street, Oakland. Sale commences Tuesday, December 6th, at 9 a. m. These holiday goods will be sold for thirty cents on the dollar.

J. A. MUNRO,

Manager for Creditors.

ACCUSED BANK PRESIDENT IS PROSTRATED.

Says Mrs. Chadwick Caused His Dishonor—Told Him Carnegie Notes Were Genuine.

OBERLIN, Ohio, December 6.—President C. T. Beckwith was practically in a state of collapse to-day as a result of the trying ordeal through which he passed yesterday in connection with his hearing before the United States Commissioner at Cleveland. Beckwith is completely prostrated and his grief is pitiful.

In discussing his troubles the voice of the aged banker is choked with emotion. He said, in speaking of the Carnegie notes, that if the signatures were forgeries, then the hand of the law should be laid upon Mrs. Chadwick.

WOMAN'S ACTS.

"Why should I stand the brunt of all this trouble which has been directly brought about by the acts of that woman?" he cried.

SAID NOTES WERE GOOD.

Continuing Mr. Beckwith said.

"I had every reason to believe that the notes were genuine indeed, Mrs. Chadwick swore they were. She solemnly declared that she had seen Mr. Carnegie write his signature on them. To confirm this she brought an attorney with her who declared that he was the legal representative of Mr. Carnegie and this attorney whose name I cannot now state, declared that he knew positively that the signatures were genuine.

DID ENDORSE THEM.

"It is true that we—Mr. Spear and myself—did endorse the notes, but, of course, we had no idea that they were to be put to the use that they were afterward.

"Then, again, we had the positive assurance of Ira Reynolds, secretary of the Wade Park Banking Company, at Cleveland that he had the securities that Mrs. Chadwick claimed he had.

NAME IS DISHONORED.

"Oh, my God," exclaimed the old man, "if I could only have my life to live again for the past two years, that I might save my name from this great dishonor that has befallen me."

ASTOUNDS LAWYERS.

NEW YORK, December 6.—The startling admission by President Beckwith of the Citizens National Bank of Oberlin, Ohio, that he and Cashier Spear of that bank had endorsed Mrs Cassie L. Chadwick's notes to the amount of $1,250,000, and that they bore what purported to be the signature of Andrew Carnegie, has astounded the New York lawyers representing the various interests involved in a case which becomes more surprising with every new revelation.

CRISIS APPROACHING.

That President Beckwith's statement brings to light new and important phases of the case and brings much nearer the inevitable uncovering of the entire affair is the belief of a majority of the attorneys interested. The result of to-day's moves in the case is awaited with increased interest in the apprehension that the crisis is near and may be reached to-day.

"LOST HIS NERVE."

A sensational report to-day was that one of the local counsel for Mrs. Chadwick had decided to withdraw from the case.

Percy W. Carver, counsel for Herbert D. Newton, of Brookline, Mass., who has claims of almost $200,000 against Mrs. Chadwick, speaking of the statement made last night by President Beckwith said developments had come so fast that he did not know what to say. He thought, however, that Mr. Beckwith must have made the statement under pressure, or, being on the verge of nervous collapse, "had lost his nerve."

CONFIDENT OF SETTLEMENT.

"I am still confident that Mrs. Chadwick will settle all the claims against her," said Mr. Carver.

Mr. Carver was asked the direct question if Mr. Newton was induced to join Mrs. Chadwick money on a note bearing the name of Andrew Carnegie and he replied:

"Mr. Newton was shown a note."

He would not say, however, whether or not it bore the name of Mr. Carnegie.

MAY CONSULT CARNEGIE.

At the Holland House, where Mrs. Chadwick has been living it was expected further sensational developments would be disclosed upon the arrival from Cleveland of Frank Lyon, receiver for the Citizen's National Bank of Oberlin. It was announced that he left Cleveland last night carrying with him the notes on which it is alleged Andrew Carnegie's name appears. Mr. Lyon's mission is thought to be to consult Mr. Carnegie with regard to the names.

MRS. CHADWICK SEES PAPERS.

Mrs. Chadwick rose early at the Holland House and sent for all the morning papers.

Philip Carpenter, of counsel for Mrs. Chadwick, called at the hotel shortly after 9 o'clock and was in conference with Mrs. Chadwick about an hour. He would say absolutely nothing about the Beckwith statement.

NO FEAR OF ARREST.

He said he had told Mrs. Chadwick she need have no fear of arrest. He added that if a warrant were issued for her arrest Mrs. Chadwick would be found at the Holland House.

Ira Reynolds of the Wade Park Banking Company of Cleveland arrived here to-day, accompanied by his attorney, Andrew Squire. He went to the Waldorf-Astoria and registered, but left there shortly afterwards for another hotel.

OTHER DEVELOPMENTS.

Possible developments affecting the whereabouts of a note for $500,000 which President Beckwith says he endorsed for Mrs Chadwick are anticipated by the attorneys, now that its existence has for the first time become known publicly. Mr. Beckwith said that Mrs. Chadwick gave her word not to dispose of it or raise money on it, and counsel for Herbert D. Newton of Boston is authority for the statement that the Newton loan was not based on such a note.

Whether the existence of this note will point to other loans by Mrs Chadwick, as yet not made public is a matter of much speculation.

ESTATE OF AN INCOMPETENT

An inventory of the property of Mildred T. McSherry, adjudged to be incompetent, was filed this morning by George L. Lewis, the guardian of her person and estate, and shows it to consist of cash in bank to the amount of $10,367, a tract of land in the City of Alameda, one certificate of the Commonwealth of West Virginia valued at $5,957 88 another certificate valued at $10,786 98 and fifty shares of the San Francisco Gas and Electric Company.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, $ 300,000.00
RESERVE AND SURPLUS, 230,000.00
DEPOSITS - - $4,035,311.80

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SNYDER IS NOT ELECTED.

Owen M'Aleer Defeats Him For Mayorship of Los Angeles.

LOS ANGELES, December 6.—Although the returns have not been received from all precincts in the city on the result of yesterday's election it is apparent that Mayor M. P. Snyder, Democrat, has been defeated for reelection by Owen McAleer, Republican, by between 2500 and 3000 plurality.

Hanley, Democrat, defeats Werdin, Republican for the office of Street Superintendent by nearly 7000. Workman, Democrat, present City Treasurer, is re-elected by a plurality exceeding 1000.

The other city officers, with the exception of a non-partisan school board, are Republicans.

The Democrats will have but one member of the City Council, Kern, who was elected in the Seventh ward. In the Sixth ward, Houghton, Independent, succeeded in defeating both the Republican and Democratic candidates by a decisive plurality. The other seven Councilmen are Republicans.

Roosevelt carried Los Angeles at the late general election by a plurality over Parker of 12,835, and the result of yesterday's vote shows that Snyder cut this majority over 9000.

This was Mayor Snyder's fifth race for the office of Mayor and his second defeat.

The chief interest centered in the fight for the office of Street Superintendent, where the incumbent, Werdin was a candidate for re-election. Werdin was charged by his opponent with extravagance and mismanagement of his office, and was also severely censured in the recent report of the Grand Jury.

The count shows that he has been defeated by the most decisive vote of any candidate on either ticket.

A great deal of money changed hands on the result of this election. The amount is estimated at over $150,000, most of which was bet on the heads of the tickets. Snyder was the favorite in the betting, and his friends and backers lost heavily.

The final unofficial count of the vote for Mayor as completed gives McAleer, Republican, 14,293; Snyder, Democrat, 10,943; McAleer's majority, 3344. For Treasurer, Workman, Democrat, 13,613; Myers, Republican, 11,273; Workman's majority, 2340. For Street Superintendent, Hanley, Democrat, 17,461; Werdin, Republican, 7879; Hanley's majority, 9582. The Non-Partisan candidates for the school board, who were endorsed on the Democratic ballot, are elected by majorities ranging from 1200 to 1500. Savage, Democrat, for Councilman in the Eighth ward is defeated by Healy, Republican, by 42 votes.

SHOOTING NEAR COLLEGE GROUNDS

BERKELEY, December 6.—Herbert Freuler, a freshman student in mechanics at the University of California, was brought before Justice of the Peace Edgar today on a charge of having violated the ordinance prohibiting shooting in the city limits. He was apprehended by a University policeman, while shooting on the edge of the college grounds and despite his protests was taken into custody.

Freuler was released on leaving his rifle and depositing cash bail.

A FIGURE OF SPEECH.

You've noticed, perhaps how the poet
Refers to his love as a "flower,"
Refers to her eyes as "the uncurtained skies,"
And her suburban flat as a "bower."
'Tis a figure of speech, says the poet,
Which goes by a road roundabout,
'Tis a phrase made by guess, with intent to express,
A different meaning, no doubt.

You've noticed perhaps, how the poster says "Musical Comedy Hit."
Though the music is rare, and the hit isn't there,
And the comedy's glum as the pit.
'Tis a figure of speech, says the poet,
Which all branches of Art may possess,
A riddle that's made for the use of the trade,
Though the answer's a hard one to guess.

You've noticed perhaps, how the heeler, in raking for votes fore and aft,
Refers to "the laws," "the flag," and "the cause,"
Though the gist of his meaning is "graft."
'Tis a figure of speech, says the poet,
From a handy political spout
Which, if the people would take at its value would make
Another impression, no doubt.

You've noticed, perhaps, how the bishop
Refers to a tavern immune,
"Where workmen may meet and be kept off the street,"
What he really means is "saloon"
'Tis a figure of speech, says the poet,
A bishop's high hobbies to tag,
If we visit his "joint" just to argue the point,
We will go home convinced—with a jag.
—Wallace Irwin in New York Globe

YOUTHFUL BRIDES IN JAPAN.

(From the Chicago Journal.)

Not one bride was over 22 years old in the 346,590 marriages which, according to the latest census, took place in Japan last year. Forty-two were only 15, 759 were 16, 5484 were 17, 17,406 were 19 and 14,100 were 20.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

LOOKING FOR GOOD THING.

Oakland Board of Trade Answers Many Inquiries.

Land values in California and the business ability of Californians are evidently subservant to the acquisition of factories in the mines of some Easterners according to letters received frequently, a sample of which is subjoined just to show to what extent these ideas prevail.

Among the many letters received by the local Board of Trades from manufacturers in the East, some are really worthy of more than passing interest as showing the ideas some business men have of cities in this State. Many writers simply ask for the literature and what the opportunities are for manufacturing. Others ask very many questions which really show an interest in the city or State. There are others who, however, send a general letter addressed to the "Secretary Board of Trade, Commercial Club, or Promotion Society."

One such letter was received to-day by the local Board of Trade in which the writer says among other things: "I am in a position to locate a large woolen factory in some live, wide-awake, progressive town on the Pacific Coast, if the citizens will subscribe seventy-five per cent of the capital stock and a fine site. Capital stock not less than $ 00,000 fully paid and no water stock. A plant of this magnitude would be quite an addition to any town that has the push and energy to grasp it. The pay-roll would be $150,000 yearly; the writer is a practical manufacturer and is the owner of a large amount of woolen machinery, and is willing to put same into a company and take for same. I should expect to go with the plant and be its general manager, both inside and out, so that the people investing their capital would feel and know that they had for its manager one of the successful manufacturers of New England; if your board is thoroughly interested and mean business, should be pleased to take this matter up, I trust that no commercial club or Board of Trade will take up this matter unless they are first assured they can comply with the requirements, as the writer has not the time to take up correspondence with curiosity seekers."

The writer is a Massachusetts man and the letter is evidently one sent to very many cities and towns in this State. He does not give any guarantee of profits, but evidently thinks all California cities are giving fine sites and subscribing three-quarters of the capital stock to any corporation or manufactory that might wish to settle in California.

The reply sent by the local Board of Trade was as follows:

"Your letter dated November 29 at hand and contents noted. Oakland is on the continental side of the Bay of San Francisco is the terminal point of three trans-continental railroads and all passengers and freight from the East and South are transferred by ferry from Oakland to San Francisco and other points north. Oakland is situated in the coast center of the State, has fifteen miles of water front where transportation by rail and water meet. The largest cotton mills west of the Rocky Mountains, the largest coal bunkers in the State, the largest yards of the Southern Pacific, and scores of other large works and manufactories are located in Oakland. We believe Oakland would be the best city on the Pacific coast for you to locate a woolen factory. In a rapidly growing city and one possessing the advantages that Oakland does as a manufacturing city—advantages you as a business man would concede were you here on the ground—the citizens would not for a moment consider the proposition to furnish a fine site and subscribe 75 per cent of the stock, accept as general manager the writer of the letter or any person other than the one they might elect to fill said position. Towns desirous of making a record for growth of population might possibly consider such a proposition but as a business man, do you think for a successful future of such a manufactory the subscription of 75 per cent of the stock and the furnishing of a fine site equivalent to an advantageous location? Would it in the long run offset the ability to receive the raw material at one door of a factory either by rail or water, and ship the manufactured article from the other door of the factory. Would not the terminal freight rates accorded by the railroads to Oakland, if a large business was done in a very few years more than offset the donation of a fine site?

"Oakland can offer unexcelled facilities for shipment of goods either by rail or water; contented labor; pro limits to the metropolis of the State, and facilities for reaching all sections of this country and all ports of the Pacific; cheap fuel and light and a climate which the government figures show to be the most equable of any in all the State.

"Under separate cover we today mail you illustrated literature of Oakland and Alameda county and thus same will prove of such interest that we may at not far distant date have an opportunity of showing you and your representatives the advantages offered by this city as a location for manufacturing purposes. Trusting that you may consider the advantages of Oakland from a business standpoint and that we may have the pleasure of learning of your decision to locate in Oakland, we are

"Very respectfully,

"OAKLAND BOARD OF TRADE."

Other letters received today were from all sections of the country asking for information of Oakland and vicinity, but the above shows the ideas some manufacturers have of California cities that they are so greedy for manufactories that they will donate valuable property for the purpose of securing a factory. There is no agreement to pay stipulated dividends neither is there any conditions mentioned that the projector of the factory shall not soon after the erection of a building dispose of his interest and leave for some other town that will give such a bonus.

BRAINS COME FROM THE FARM.

"The Chautauqua meetings in the country are the manufacturing centers of material to re-enforce played out and sluggish cities," said the Rev. Frank W. Gunsaulus before the fifth annual session of the International Chautauqua Alliance in Victoria Hotel yesterday afternoon.

"The country boy's best chances for education are found at the summer meetings. How many have benefited? A recent canvass of the city has shown this:

"Out of 100 of Chicago's prosperous business men I found that eighty-four, beginning with Marshall Field, came from the country. Seventy-six out of 100 of the best lawyers come from the country. Seventy-one out of 100 of the best physicians came from the country.

"The idea prevailed that the best privileges of life belong to a class of self-constituted aristocrats, but the fact is that these privileges belong to the poor, ordinary man, and the Chautauqua meetings have taken them to him. The purpose of the meetings is to build the real American civilization."—Chicago Inter Ocean.

OLD AGE.

Old age! be what thou will—they reign
Cannot endure for ever;
Feebleness, weariness, and pain
Are links that soon must sever.

And if thy pains the soul recall
To heavenly truth and warning,
Who would regret the ruined wall
That lets in such a morning?
—Bernard Barton.

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FISHER.....$50.00
CONRAD.....67.00
KIMBALL.....$65.00
2 FISHERS.....$97.00
JEWETT.....$114
STEINWAY.....$165.00
NEW ENGLAND.....$165.00
SCHAEFFER.....$165.00
CROWN.....$275.00
STARCK (SLIGHTLY USED) .....$135.00 TO $165.00
2 STEINWAY..$149.00 to $295.00
4 HEINES $195, $285, $295, $360
KNABE (large size) $90.00
WEBER.....$195.00

NEWMAN.....$85.00
FULLER.....$97.00
MARSHALL.....$115.00
SOMMER.....$86.00
SHERMAN & HYDE..$117.00
MANSFIELD & NOTMI. $119.00
KETTLE.....$130.00
4 EMERSONS $60, $95, $105, $125
MILLER.....$130.00
3 HYDES..$90.00, $110.00 $147.00
HOWARD.....$168.00
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SHAW.....$160.00
SHILLER.....$165.00
DECKER BROS. (slightly used).....$217.00
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HALLET & DAVIS.....$195.00
CANOVER.....$215.00
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SUGER (slightly used).....$237.00
KRELL.....$327.00
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GABLER (discontinued style) $395.00

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CARNEGIE WILL BE QUESTIONED

Will be Asked to Say Whether Notes Are a Forgery.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, December 6.—Receiver Loeser admitted to-day that thus far the tangible assets of Mrs Chadwick which have come into his possession are comparatively of small value.

Great interest is manifested here in the possible results of the trip of Receiver Lyons of the Citizen's National Bank of Oberlin. Mr. Lyons carried with him the two notes for $250,000 and $500,000 to which Andrew Carnegie's name is signed.

Mr. Lyons went to New York with the determined purpose of personally interviewing Mr. Carnegie in order to obtain from the latter's lips the truth concerning the signatures to the notes. Government officials, while declining to talk, do admit that the next important step in the case depends upon what Mr. Lyons learns in New York to-day.

MAKE YOUR FOOD MEDICINE.

The garden is a great medicine chest. Be your own doctor and look to your own slight ailments.

If you are wakeful eat lettuce.

For affections of the skin and for yellow skin eat onions. Onions are also good for colds, coughs, scrofula.

For a torpid liver, eat freely of asparagus.

For malaria and general breakdown, eat cranberries.

If nervous and irritable, eat plenty of celery.

For constipation, eat fruits, ripe and healthy fruits. Fresh fruits are good, so are figs and dates. Raisins are beneficial.

When the body is in good condition keep it in good condition by denying the appetite what has once injured the body. One can do everything for himself by eating the right thing and not too much of it, and by leaving alone the wrong thing and all of it. He can do more than the doctors can do for him when he is flat on his back in bed.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

SAYINGS.

Years ago a prominent citizen of Chicago who at that time was president of one of its leading clubs, in introducing another prominent citizen as a speaker at a club banquet dwelt in highly complimentary terms on the latter citizen's efforts to bring about political reforms. "Gentlemen," he said, "no one in this city exerts a more powerful influence for good than does Mr. Blank when he is sober." Then in great confusion, and amid an awed silence he hastened to explain that Mr. Blank exerted, as he had intended to say, a powerful influence when he was in earnest.

At the banquet given at the opening of the present board of trade building the elder Carter Harrison made a flamboyant speech congratulating himself on having been born in the same year that the steam locomotive was invented. He was followed by the late Emery Storrs, who said that most approximately, Carter Harrison and the locomotive were born in the same year, since both of them had been blowing off steam ever since. It was Emery Storrs who said that a fellow lawyer reminded him of a beautiful house with massive mortals and impressive cornices which, when you opened the front door, landed you immediately in the back yard.

WILL CALL ON ANDREW CARNEGIE

NEW YORK, Dec 6.—Attorney Squire of Cleveland, who represents Ira Reynolds and Mr. Oldham, representing the Comptroller of the Currency, had a conference this afternoon at which it was decided that Mr. Oldham should call to see Andrew Carnegie this evening. At the close of this conference Mr. Oldham and Mr. Squire went to the Holland House, where they saw Mrs. Chadwick. At the same time Attorney Ryall of counsel for Herbert D. Newton, went to the hotel and was shown to Mrs. Chadwick's apartments.

DEFINED.

Bishop Hardhead—Tell me exactly what you want. Do you want a minister or a preacher?

Deacon Wayback—Why—er—we want both, you know.

Bishop Hardhead—I can't give you both. Do you want a minister who will visit your homes, romp with the children, joke with the boys, pay compliments to the women folks, admire your pigs, praise your cattle, inquire about crops, and on Sundays put you to sleep; or do you want a preacher who will shut himself up with his books, burn the midnight oil, and on Sunday lift your souls with oratorical bursts that would thrill the throngs at a cathedral? Take your choice.

Deacon Wayback—I guess, bishop, a minister will be nigher our size, and we'll promise to make no more complaints 'bout dull sermons. Send us a minister, bishop—send us one that can play the fiddle.—New York Weekly.

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ANNUAL MEETING.

ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS UNION NATIONAL BANK.

The thirtieth annual meeting of the stockholders of the Union National Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the office of the corporation, northwest corner of Twelfth and Broadway streets, Oakland, on Tuesday, January 10, 1905, at three o'clock P. M.

THOMAS PRATHER, President.
C. E. PALMER, Cashier.

Dated, Oakland, Cal., Dec. 6, 1904.

Not a Moment Must Be Lost

THE HOLIDAY PURCHASING SPIRIT HAS SURELY BROKEN OUT—YESTERDAY WAS A FORERUNNER OF WHAT WE ARE GOING TO DO THE TEN DAYS BEFORE CHRISTMAS—WE DESIRE TO CALL YOUR ATTENTION TO OUR

Merchandise Orders

THEY ARE JUST THE THING FOR THAT FEELING OF INDECISION—SO MANY PEOPLE SAY—"WELL, I JUST DON'T KNOW WHAT HE WILL LIKE"—BUY MERCHANDISE ORDERS—AND LET HIM PICK OUT HIS OWN NECKWEAR AND HOSIERY, HATS, GLOVES, AND THINGS TO WEAR—TEN CHANCES TO ONE YOU WOULD GET THE WRONG COLOR OR PATTERN AND WHAT THEN?

WE CAN'T GET OVERCOATS OUT OF OUR HEAD—THEY ARE ON OUR MIND CONSTANTLY AND SHOULD BE ON YOUR BACK. ONE OF OUR STORM KINGS WOULDN'T COME AMISS ON A FROSTY MORNING LIKE THIS.

CHILDREN'S OVERCOATS	$2 95 to $15 00
YOUTHS' OVERCOATS	$7 50 to $20 00
MEN'S OVERCOATS	$10 00 to $35 00
DRESS OVERCOATS	$20 00 to $35 00

Nobby Hats

WE ALSO WISH TO REMIND YOU OF OUR HAT DEPARTMENT—PARTICULARLY OUR $2 50 AND $3 50 DERBYS AND ALPINES—NOBBY BLOCKED HATS, AND THEY ARE ALWAYS ACCEPTABLE AS GIFTS.

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DRAWN AS TRIAL JURORS.

NAMES OF TAXPAYERS WHO WILL HAVE TO APPEAR IN COURT.

The following trial jurors were drawn in Judge Hall's department of the Superior Court this morning for the trial of criminal and civil cases Seventy names were drawn from the box and an order was made that they report in Department 5 on December 13 The list is as follows

C Noi Theo S Swift Clarence A Thayer Chas E Dozier Frederick G Welp J T Dille John M English Geo Hoffman W J Walker W G C Meyer Hibbard H Snow John Barnet, Lewis Huffschmidt Wm M Butters Wm Keegan John Black Ferdinand Koenig Edmund Hathaway Daniel Devlin J H Hall E L Sargent M M Simpson W G Thornally H L Holcomb Owen Breslin Isaac Barnett August Mart Chas Rowe L W Forsting A A Davis Wm H Whirf F Dieckhoff John J Sweeney Martin Dudley Jas J McGinney John Hinke R H Bonner Andrew Block, John H Nobmann Jacob B Tallman J S Derby Henry Menges Jas Potts, John G Wright Wm A Hunter Wm H Williamson Wm H Waltz John Breen Hy H Williams A Gove Roberts David Berrens O C Hyatt W S Dunlevy J B Merritt J A Marshall Jas Irrideaux W H Smith F J Ryus George W Spencer F D Bailey C D Hayes Daniel E Newell Z O Springle Jos Nochey Wm Langstaff Herman Buschmann T P Emigh Geo M Pogg Jeremiah Tyrrel Henry O Pe son

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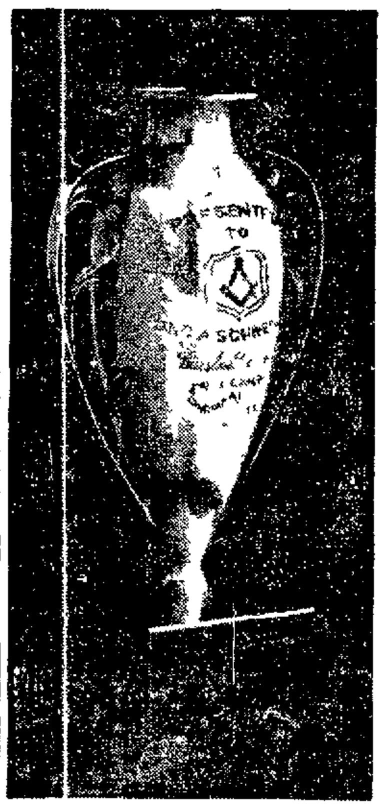

CUP TO BE PRESENTED TO JOHN A. SCHREINER.

General George A Custer Council Junior United American Mechanics will celebrate its tenth anniversary this evening The exercises will be held at Woodmen Hall 512 Twelfth street Custer Council has been steadily gaining in membership a class of twenty having kept the team busy one evening in November

At the other meetings of the month there were from one to half a dozen initiations This evening John A Schreiner will be presented with the first prize a beautiful cup for securing the largest number of members The second prize a pin of the order will be awarded to F I Seward The booby prize two pounds of butter will go to Herman Paine

STRATTON IS TO KEEP OFFICE.

COLLECTOR STANDS HIGH WITH AUTHORITIES IN WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON December 6—The commission of Fred S Stratton collector of customs at San Francisco will expire December 17 He will no doubt be reappointed if he cares to serve another term, as he enjoys the highest standing at the Treasury Department and with the California delegation Stratton is credited by the Californians here with being on the inside track for an appointment as additional United States District Judge when the act is passed creating that office but there is small probability that this act will be passed at this session of Congress Meanwhile Stratton will no doubt remain as collector

AMUSEMENTS

At the Liberty Playhouse this week that old popular favorite East Lynne is being produced Miss Jane Kelton takes the leading role and as usual scores a success

THE NOVELTY

Colonel Lubelski is not allowing the excellent reputation of his popular theater to diminish as far as a first class vaudeville show is concerned This week is no exception to the rule

The new bill as given last evening was well received by two crowded houses Among those who made their first appearance were the Arabian Acrobats nine in number who do some clever work in their line They made an excellent impression and will prove a drawing card Cheneveth the cornetist is a master of that instrument Clive is a clever all-around comedian He makes a hit with the audience The Novelty sketch team is up-to date and takes well with the audience The new motion pictures are the latest productions They are interesting and among the best ever shown in this city There are new illustrated songs and altogether the program is entertaining as usual The new penny Arcade opens to the public in conjunction with the theater next Monday There will be no admission charged to the gallery, and only one penny is the price to hear or see any machine in the place This Arcade is the largest and best appointed on the coast For the holidays there will be extra attractions the management having secured them at a very large expense The admission is ten cents There will be the usual matinees

THE EMPIRE.

There was a large attendance at both performances at the Empire Theater last night The program is changed throughout no hold-overs being retained New faces at this theater come regularly every week Durant and Baldwin are no doubt among the best in their line As Chinese impersonators and musicians on stringed instruments they are very clever

Walter Perry monologist and singer was well received and had the audience in an uproar from start to finish

The program is refined and the various acts are clever There is not a stale act The other names on the bill are as follows Leonard and Fulton refined Irish comedy Miss Mabel Leslie coon shouter Eddie Higgins buck and wing dancer Henry King the favorite illustrated singer will sing Just Tell Her That I Love Her Too The bill closes with new motion pictures on the biograph

The admission is ten cents At the daily matinees the children are admitted for five cents There is change of bill every Monday Commencing December the 17th-18th and every Saturday and Sunday matinee thereafter until Christmas every child attending the matinee will receive a present and a box of candy free of charge

THE BELL.

This week's attractions at this popular playhouse are interesting Every act is a feature St Ives, the lady musical wonder is the opening feature of the bill and is certainly a good opening act for a good show Her electrical display is great The pictures are new especially the one showing the Baby Farm which creates a great deal of amusement Clive the magician is not alone a good slight of hand performer but a splendid comedian Stanley and Aileen two children of ability are splendid and receive considerable applause Teddy Box makes a hit Mr Box comes direct from the Orpheum circuit He is a clever comedian and his success with Oakland audiences was instantaneous The Denrock Brothers two clever comedians do a splendid turn and were much appreciated De Onzo is a clever one Some of his stunts which he does with barrels almost seem impossibilities

Oakland's Popular illustrated song singer has returned and was received last night by two large audiences with enthusiasm Pete Durswoith made a hit and the management acted wisely in having him play a return engagement

The bill in its entirety is of high class order and will no doubt pack this house to the doors at every performance Santa Claus made his appearance yesterday at the matinee and every child in attendance received a present He will be in attendance at every matinee excepting Sunday until Xmas

Christmas Stationery

IN BEAUTIFUL HOLIDAY BOXES

500 boxes fashionable tints fine finishes bond wove linen fabric and parchment, the new shapes a quire of paper and 24 envelopes to match, in each box—

25c

300 boxes high-grade papers Highland linen five tints Aileen shape Pays Bas linen blues and gray achray linen gull gray new tint—

35c

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Extra elaborate cases some with hand-painted covers some decorated with exquisite die work showing fancy coats of arms and heraldic designs at prices from $1 00 up to $2 50 each

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GIVEN A HEAVY SENTENCE.

BARBER MUST SUFFER FOR DESERTING WIFE AND CHILDREN

Sometimes it does not pay from a financial standpoint to desert a wife as Henry Roberts found out this morning when Police Judge Smith sentenced him to pay a fine of $300 or go to jail for 150 days Roberts is a barber by trade

According to the testimony offered in his case there seems to be little excuse for him having deserted his wife and two little children He is alleged to have loved another woman

This morning when asked a few questions Roberts was evasive He denied that any other woman had captured his fancy but when asked why he did not provide for his offspring he began a rambling excuse which was cut short by Judge Smith giving him practically the limit

Roberts almost wilted when he heard the sentence

TO INVESTIGATE PANAMA RAILWAY

WASHINGTON December 6—Representative Shackelford Democrat of Missouri one of the members of the House Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce who accompanied the Congressional party on the visit to Panama today introduced a resolution providing for an inquiry into the affairs of the Panama Railway Company and a report to Congress

ALLEGED HUGGER FORFEITS BAIL

Eugene Christensen accused of having attempted to caress Miss Florence Miller and Miss Evelyn Freitas on the public highways this morning forfeited $10 bail in preference to standing trial before Police Judge Smith Christensen was acquitted by a jury on the charge preferred by Miss Frietas The charge preferred by Miss Miller was not as strong as in the first case

Just why Christensen forfeited his bail is not known but he probably thought that it was the easiest way out of the difficulty

TO ABOLISH SPECTACLES

(From the Philadelphia Telegraph)

Optimists believe that Dr Stephen Smith surgeon of the eye department of Battersea Park Hospital Nottingham England has discovered a new treatment of the eye which will practically abolish spectacles It is styled Manipulation of the eye and is gentle and gradual occupying a few minutes daily causing no pain and having no injurious effect of any sort. Some patients are cured in a week and in all cases improvement is rapid

Thirty patients who had been obliged to wear spectacles for a long time have so far been treated by Dr Smith and with a single exception have all discarded glasses and can now read, at either long or short distances as well as people who have never needed assistance

The cures of myopia hypermetropia and astigmatism are said to be permanent.

CARMEN WILL ENTERTAIN.

PROMINENT UNION MEN WILL VISIT THE LOCAL ORGANIZATION.

Several prominent visitors among them Frank Duffy general secretary of the order will be received by the Carmen's Union Local 219 tomorrow evening The union will assemble at California Hall and entertain their guests with a smoker Speeches of welcome will be made by two or three prominent members and General Secretary Duffy will give the address of the evening A W Eastern men delegates to the American Federation of Labor will also be present and speak

MATERIAL TEAMSTERS

Last night Local 557 of the Material Teamsters held their regular meeting There were six candidates initiated and as many more applications Business Agent William Creel reported the received work in his department

A ball will be given in this local Saturday December 17 in Hedges Hall at 414 Eleventh street A report was submitted by the ball committee last night and accepted by the members The music is to be furnished by a union orchestra and refreshments are to be served until midnight The hall will be decorated with greens and banners Everything is being done to make the affair a very pleasant one and a large attendance is expected

The members of the committee are as follows John Flusch Louis Johns Frother Nash Joe Lewis Chris Walle and Harry Feister

UNION TO VISIT

Tonight many of the members of the local unions of the Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners will pay a visit to Fruitvale There will be received at Masonic Hall by Local 1473 of Fruitvale which has a pleasant surprise in store for its visitors Speeches will be made by several officers of the union

LOCAL NOTES

A number of women of Oakland have formed a Women's Label League with Mrs Robert West as secretary The members are pledged to call for union label goods at the stores and thus create a demand for union made goods They held a meeting in California Hall last night to perfect their organization An advisory board of five members will be chosen from various locals to keep in touch with the league

The officers elected last night were Mrs E B O'Brien president Mr G W Joyner first vice president Mrs H Weber second vice president Mrs R West financial and recording secretary Mrs A Le treasurer and Mrs M C Lee warden The officers will be installed next Thursday evening

SUED FOR DIVORCE

Suit for divorce on the ground of desertion was begun yesterday afternoon by Esther A Miller against William B Miller They were married in this city in 1880 but she states that in 1896 he left her against her wish without making any provision for her and has continued to live apart from her ever since

Startling Evidence

Fresh testimony in great quantity is constantly coming in declaring Dr King's New Discovery for Consumption Coughs and Colds to be unequaled A recent expression from T J McFarland Bentorville Va serves as an example He writes I had Bronchitis for three years and doctored all the time without being benefited Then I began taking Dr King's New Discovery and a few bottles wholly cured me Equally effective in curing all Lung and throat troubles Consumption Pneumonia and Grip Guaranteed by Osgood Bros druggists Seventh and Broadway and Twelfth and Washington Trial bottles free regular sizes 50c and $1 00

HAD WEAK EYES.

I am using George Mayerle's Eyewater and find it very good for weak, tired and watery eyes also floating spots William Donaldson Hobart Mills Cal At all druggists or from George Mayerle 1071 Market street, San Francisco Price 50 cents by mail 65 cents

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If you trade with N S SMITH CO 116 Ellis street San Francisco The largest and most up to date trunk and leather goods house in Frisco

Builds up the waste tissues of the kidneys Lash's Kidney and Liver Bitters

CAFE AND RESTAURANT

Giordos Family Parlor under new management R Stoker now proprietor. In addition a new female on a first-class restaurant will be conducted Open till 1 o'clock 63 11th st bet Webster and Franklin

The Old Reliable ROYAL BAKING POWDER ABSOLUTELY PURE There is no substitute

CASTORIA. Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

POINT RICHMOND NEWS.

BUILDING AT PACIFIC OIL PLANT—LODGE HOLDS A MEETING

POINT RICHMOND December 6—Work is progressing rapidly at the Pacific Coast Oil Company's plant in getting for the large addition to the acid works

Just east of the present brick acid building a large frame building about 250 feet long has been erected for a house where the rock from which the sulphuric acid is extracted is stored

Two other buildings 400x100 feet long are being built for ore bins

LOCAL ITEMS

The Point Richmond Land & Canal Company's dredger anchored at the estuary today

For the start the dredge will cut a channel to the east for some 200 feet until it gets on the line then the boat will be turned toward the town and thus cut out a channel The canal is to be 100 feet wide at the bottom

John Hackett the president and Fred Reicher the manager were both here today and are well pleased with the outlook for the dredging

The local lodge of the Order of Pendo had a very interesting meeting in Maple Hall at which two of the supreme officers were present Messrs A P Tugwell and Dr G A Howard As a result of the interest stirred up there will be over twenty initiations tonight followed by a large banquet

TAX COLLECTOR MAKES SETTLEMENT

County Tax Collector James Barber made his settlement with the County Treasurer yesterday and paid into the treasury on the second installment of taxes the sum of $988 041 34 The total amount of taxes due according to the valuation placed on the property by the Assessor for this year was $1 7?0-68? 3 In the October collection there was paid in the sum of $194 023 75 The two amounts collected aggregate the sum of $1 182 065 08

The amount of taxes that went delinquent on the first installment of taxes was $35 4-61 and is said to be a very small delinquency The taxes on the second installment will not be delinquent until next April

DID NOT WANT TO PROSECUTE

The charge of disturbing the peace preferred against Fred Gleason by his wife Mrs E Gleason was dismissed from the calendar this morning by Police Judge Smith as the complaining witness was unwilling to prosecute She said that she was going to reside with her son in the future and that as she would never see her husband again she stated she did not want him punished

TOYS 1-2 PRICE

And such other specials as you'll see advertised daily

Tomorrow Morning

Bet. 9 and 11 o'clock

None After—None Before

The following goods will be on sale at exactly one half price

White Enamel Beds and Cradles ranging from 45c to $1 50 to be sold for from	24c to 75c
Grey Outing Flannel regular 10c kind	5c yard
Misses pat wool vests and pants regular 50c quality	25c
Moire Taffeta lining (in a few shades only) worth more than double 10c	5c
Roman Stripe Blankets regular $1 00 kind	50c
Fancy Santa Clara Prunes 8c regular	4c lb

We offer these inducements to encourage early shopping and lessen the enormous throngs which crowd our store during the afternoon besides the comfort convenience and economy of which you are assured These goods so advertised will be on sale tomorrow between the hours of 9 and 11 o'clock None of these goods will be put aside nor exchanged

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KNABE	$125 00
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C R HALL	$70.00
BACON & RAVEN	$70 00
HALLETT & DAVIS	$60 00
MEYER & CO	$60.00
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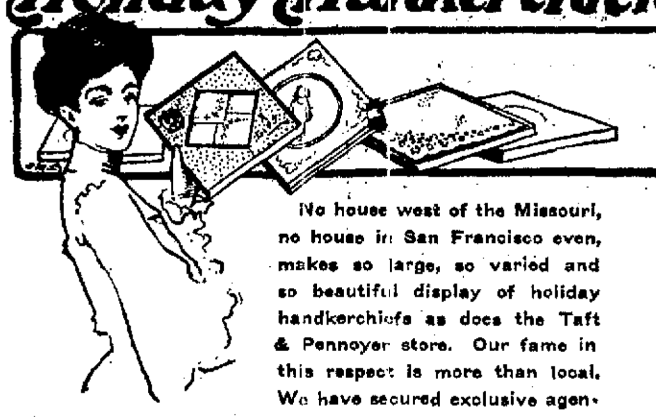
CHAPLAIN, LADIES OF THE MACCABEES.

Tuesday, December 6th.

Holiday Hankerchiefs



No house west of the Missouri, no house in San Francisco even, makes so large, so varied and so beautiful display of holiday handkerchiefs as does the Taft & Pennoyer store. Our fame in this respect is more than local. We have secured exclusive agencies from the best houses in the world. We import directly from Ireland and France. From simplest handkerchief for a child, to most elaborate French confection of lace, we are ready to supply your every want.

A round dozen styles with hemstitched or fancy embroidered edges, at................5c each

Children's handkerchiefs with colored borders —put up in fancy Christmas boxes—three handkerchiefs to the box..........20c per box

Hemstitched handkerchiefs of pure Irish linen with small hand embroidered initial in a hand embroidered wreath—unlaundered..6 for 75c

Handkerchiefs of sheer Irish linen showing a fine hand-worked wreath surrounding a hand-worked initial ....25c each

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Armenian edged lace handkerchiefs with small hand embroidered initial—half a dozen in Christmas box for $3.00

A beautiful collection of fine French hand embroidered handkerchiefs is shown at from.... ....60c to $25.00 each

Christmas Dressing Sacques

There is no gift prettier or more useful than a dressing sacque. It is one any woman would appreciate. A glance at the prices below proves it is an economical gift also.

First comes a morning sacque of flannelette in navy or cadet blue, or red, dotted in white. It has a high neck, blouse back and is fitted at the waist line. Cuffs and collar are finished with a ruffle edged with white button-hole stitching. A special value at $1.00

An eiderdown sacque is to be had in gray, red, light blue, pink and tan. It has four finished seams, crocheted edge, low collar and is tied with ribbon to match. This very serviceable garment will be sold at the special Christmas price of $1.00

In ripple eiderdown you will find a sacque with four finished seams, crocheted edge and roll collar trimmed with applique. It is fastened with silk frogs—all shades; price $1.50

Kimona of French flannel edged with bands of Persian silk—back pleated to give a yoke effect—loose sleeve—in light blue, slate, navy and lavender. Regularly $5.00—a Christmas special at ....$3.00 each

A Shawl— A Suitable Gift

Can you imagine a present that will give more comfort, pleasure and satisfaction than a shawl. For many people you certainly cannot.

Here are shawls that will please them.

A square, white knitted shawl, with prettily crocheted border $1.00

White umbrella shawl, knit in the shell pattern, with pink edging and insertion. This dainty article is finished with a pink satin ribbon.. ... .$1.75

Circular gray knitted shawl with border and insertion of black $2.50

Fascinators in blue, white and pink crocheted in the shell stitch..... ....35c and 50c

Shoulder shawls of gray, brown and black and checked cashmere with fringed edges.....75c

A handsome shawl comes in chinchilla yarn. It is one and one-quarter yards square and has insertion and edging in contrasting colors.. ....$3.50

Taft & Pennoyer

Broadway Fourteenth

STRUCK HER WITH A SHOE.

Woman Given a Divorce Because of Husband's Temper.

Because he treated her in an extremely cruel manner, Bessie Cole this morning was granted a final decree of divorce from J. T. Cole from whom she was granted an interlocutory degree a year ago. Judge Ogden made the judgment. He is a house painter and shortly after they were married he developed an uncontrollable temper and on several occasions struck his wife.

One time he beat her over the head with a shoe, which so frightened her that she was sick for some time afterwards.

Finally she called in the police when he was beating her and had him arrested. She afterwards relented and allowed him to go without prosecuting the case.

He however began his old treatment of her and she finally one day fled from the house in fear and never went back.

DESTROYS WOMAN'S PICTURE.

For destroying the picture of another woman her husband was wearing in his locket Cora M. Lewis was given a beating by F. W. Lewis, which finally led to bringing the suit which resulted in a divorce being granted Mrs. Lewis on the ground of extreme cruelty this morning by Judge Ogden. They were married in San Jose in 1894 and have two sons of whom the wife was also given the custody. They have some little property of which they have made a division and no alimony was asked for.

Mrs. Lewis testified that she was forced to leave her husband on account of his cruelty towards her. He struck her with his fist hard enough to knock her down and in the instance of the destruction of the picture he struck her in the presence of her sister-in-law, who appeared as a witness for her. His abuse made her sick and after one of his attacks she fainted.

WIFE LEFT HIM.

Charles M. Lindsay was granted a divorce to-day from Catherine Lindsay on the ground of desertion. They were married in Hollister seven years ago but for more than a year past she has refused to live with him.

MUST PAY ALIMONY.

Judge Ogden gave judgment this morning in favor of Mattie A. Barry in a suit for back alimony against Edgar S. Barry for $1418.75. The parties were divorced in Los Angeles county and made an agreement whereby the wife should take the three children and the husband should pay her $25 a month alimony for their support. He stopped the payment of the alimony and the wife finally brought an action against him to recover $1500 and she was granted a large portion of this amount. The husband made the excuse that instead of having taken care of the children she had boarded them at a place other than their home and that this invalidated the agreement.

COLLECTION FOR SCHOOLS.

EDWARD L. BRIGGS LEAVES MINERALS TO THE DEPARTMENT.

By the will of the late Edward L. Briggs, collector of minerals and capitalist, who died recently at his home at 663 Eleventh street, the Board of Education of this city is left his collection of minerals, on condition that it will be placed in a suitable room in the High School and given the name of the "Cordelia F. Briggs' Collection." There are many specimens of minerals and natural history of much value contained among the collection made from all over the State.

The estate left by the deceased amounts to about $25,000, and of this amount, $17,500 consists of 173 shares of stock in the Grand Rapids National Bank; the rest is made of a life insurance policy for $2000 and another of $2000, a promissory note for $1650 and personal property in his home to the value of $1000.

The legatees under the will and the amount left them are as follows: Charlie S. Briggs of Grand Rapids, $3000; Clara A. Collins, a sister living at Grand Rapids, $3000 and his household furniture and pictures; Josephine S. Steketee, a niece of Grand Rapids, $2000; Lora F. Houston, a sister-in-law, of Niagara Falls, $500; and $200 each to the following: Lillian Gilbert, Santa Cruz; Julia E. Ferguson, Cement, Oklahoma Territory; Marietta Bradford, Sparta, Michigan; Henry C. Fitch, La Harce, Kansas; Edward C. Fitch and Willard L. Fitch of Anita, Iowa, and Emma L. Fitch, Fremont, Ohio.

Phebe Gunn Burton of Grand Rapids, Michigan, he leaves $300 to be used for the education of her children. Any residue which may be left after these bequests have been paid is to be divided between his brother Charlie S. Briggs and his sister Clara T. Collins.

MANY DEATHS CAUSED BY FEVER

WINNIPEG, Man., December 6.—Nine deaths were reported Sunday and thirteen today from what is alleged to be typhoid fever, but is generally believed to be a revival of the epidemic frequently fatal in the early days of the country and familiarly known as Red river fever.

MEAT QUOTATIONS

Beef and Mutton lower; Veal, Pork and Lamb easier.

Rib Steak...	3 lbs. 25c
Beef Roast	8c
Beef to boil	5c, 6c and 7c
Round Steak	10c
Loin Steak	12½c
Porter House	15c
Mutton Chops	10c
Shoulder Lamb	8c
Legs Veal	11c
Legs Mutton	10c
Pork Steak..	11c
Pork Roast	10c
Sausages	3 lbs for 25c
Prime Rib Roast	12½c

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FRENCH FIGHT DUEL.

Remarks About Joan of Arc Caused Bloodless Battle.

HENDAYE, France, December 6.—M. De Roulede and M. Jaures, the Socialist leader in the French Chamber of Deputies, fought a duel with pistols here today. The exchange of shots had no result. Two shots were exchanged at twenty-five paces.

The political prominence of the participants in the meeting attracted great interest.

The Spanish government warned the parties not to fight in Spain, so the French government allowed M. De Roulede twenty-four hours leave and meet M. Jaures.

The seconds of both parties were prominent members of the Chamber of Deputies.

Deputy Jaures telegraphed a challenge to Paul De Roulede, a former deputy and founder of the League of Patriots, who has been in political exile in Spain since his participation in the plot to overthrow the French government.

The challenge grew out of the agitation of the students of Paris resulting from the alleged insulting remarks about Joan of Arc made by a professor of history at the Lycee Condorcet.

M. De Roulede telegraphed from Spain, declaring that the Socialists were responsible for the attacks on Joan of Arc and adding that she was the most sublime figure in history, whereas, M. Jaures was the most contemptible of her detractors.

SIX-DAY RACE IS SLOW.

BICYCLISTS ARE BEHIND RECORD MADE ON OTHER OCCASIONS.

NEW YORK, December 6.—The big six-day bicycle race at Madison Square Garden today had developed into a steady, ceaseless grind. Worn by the exertion of many hours, none of the riders seemed anxious to set a "killing" pace, and every hour placed the riders farther behind the records established in previous contests. The exciting sprints that marked the earlier stages of the race were almost entirely lacking during the night and early hours today.

During the night there was only one spill and that only affected one rider, Floyd Krebs, the tire of whose wheel came off. Patsy Keegan of the Boston team was again in the lead during most of the night in spite of injuries received yesterday morning, which put him out of the race for a time.

The official score at 10 a. m. was: Walthour-Munroe, Gougoltz-Breton, Vanderstuyft-Steel, Troussel-Hazan, Butler-Moran, Palmer-Agraz, Samuelson-Williams, Maya-Newkirk, Bedell-Bedell, Root-Dorlon, MacLean-Bowler, Keegan-Logan, and Turnville-Mettling, each 652.6; Krebs-Fogler, Caldwell-Hopper, Sulkins-Rockewitz and Downing-Limberg 652.5.

Record for thirty-fourth hour is 693 miles 2 laps held by Elkes and MacFarland.

EYES SMART AND BURN?

George Mayerle's Eyewater strengthens weak eyes, cures sore eyes, rests tired eyes. At reliable druggists or from George Mayerle, 1071 Market street, San Francisco. Price 50 cents; by mail 62 cents.

Lot of Chiffoniers.

Solid oak, eight ($8) dollars upwards at H. Schellhaas' corner store, Eleventh street.

TOBACCO SMOKERS.

"Behold in me a Christian martyr," said the late Sir William Vernon Harcourt; when on medical advice some years ago he gave up smoking for a time. He was previously one of the greatest lovers of the weed in the house of commons. The one thing which annoyed Mr. Gladstone sometimes was the smoking of his colleague. When his throat was giving him distress in 1898 Sir William resigned himself to abstention from smoking. Formerly he would smoke ten to fifteen strong cigars a day, and it was a hard fight for him to give up the habit at his time of life.

Any violation of the regulation against smoking by midshipmen at the United States naval academy will, in future, be treated withe the utmost severity. The navy department has announced in an official communication to Capt. Brownson, superintendent of the naval academy, that midshipmen who violate this regulation will be dismissed. There seems to have been a misunderstanding on the part of midshipmen in regard to this matter, many of them acting under the assumption that dismissal would only follow a repeated violation in one year of the smoking regulation.

A silver tobacco pipe with a stem ten inches long is used by the Empress of Japan. The bowl is small—in fact, only a quantity of tobacco sufficient to give the smoker two or three whiffs can be put into it. Then the ashes are knocked out, and the pipe is carefully cleaned before it is refilled—a process gone through many times i the course of an afternoon.

A NEW MULTIPLEX TELEGRAPH.

The invention of new methods for sending a number of messages simultaneously over the same wire continues, and one of the most recent of these is due to Prof. Mercadier, of the French High School for Post and Telegraph. In this method an alternating current is employed whose frequency depends upon a tuning fork having a certain definite number of vibrations. The current of such an interrupted circuit can be broken by an ordinary key, and signals transmitted over the line wire by an induction transmitter. On the line at the distant station are a number of so-called monotelephones which respond to current of one frequency, and are tuned to the forks in the circuits at the sending station. Thus each particular circuit has its own telephone, which is connected by tubes with the ears of the receiving operator and responds to the signals made at the sending station. In all twelve transmission circuits are provided, so that twenty-four messages may be sent over the line simultaneously.—Harper's Weekly.

WELL WORTH REMEMBERING TO MANY.

The Sunset-Piedmont Air Line, through the Old South of perpetual sunshine, sells tickets at lowest rate to New England, Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, as well as all far Eastern points. Through personally conducted tourist sleepers San Francisco to Washington via Los Angeles, El Paso, New Orleans, Mobile, Atlanta, observation and dining cars.

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I used one bottle of George Mayerle's Eyewater. It is O. K. J. Parteous, Fenlon, Nevada. At reliable druggists or from George Mayerle, 1071 Market street, San Francisco. Price 50 cents, by mail 62 cents.

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Our stock of trunks and leather goods for the holidays is now complete, and you will find on exhibition the most exclusive styles of wrist bags, filled suit cases and traveling bags, toilet rolls, alligator bags, etc. Give us a call before making your purchase. The Big Trunk Store, L. Levy & Co., 134-136 Ellis, near Mason, San Francisco. Branch and factory, corner of Bush and Kearny.

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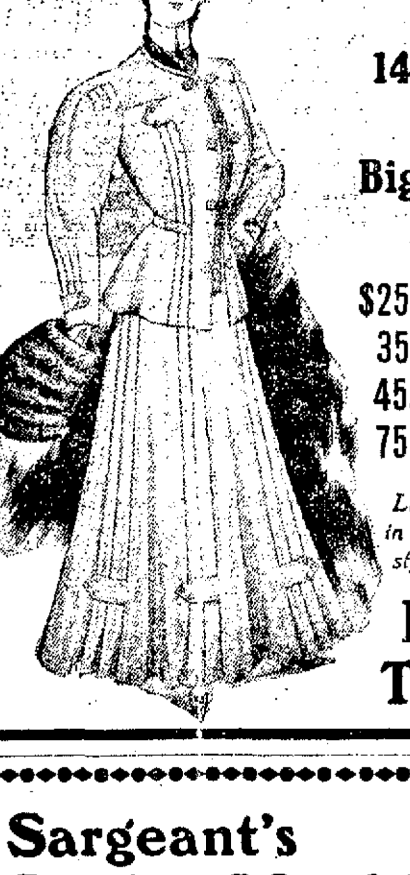

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BOYS ACCUSED OF THEFT.

Three young boys, George Ash, Charles Marshall and Arthur Fredericks, are on the small book at the City Prison, charged with having entered the store of M. L. Stanley last night and to have stolen $7 in cash from the till.

Stanley conducts a delicatessen store at 529 Ninth street. The young boys were in the store a short while prior to the time when the money was taken.

Stanley and his wife went to the rear of the store for a moment and when they returned the $7 was missing.

Suspicion at once attached itself to the three young boys, and they were arrested.

The Fredericks boy distinguished himself a short while ago by escaping from the County Jail where he was confined on a misdemeanor charge. He squeezed through the bars and made an escape by climbing down the telephone wires. He was captured after several days by Deputy Sheriff White.

Just what to do with the three is now puzzling the Chief of Police. All of them have been in trouble before. The oldest boy is 15 years of age and the youngest 12 years of age. It is probable that steps will be taken to send them to the reform school.

A WOMAN'S GRATITUDE.

A Mountain Woman Writes in Praise of Newbro's Herpicide.

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ELDER SCOTT TO TALK.

Elder Columbus Scott of Lamoine, Iowa, will speak at Saints' Chapel, Sixteenth and Magnolia streets, this evening. Subject, "Divorce and its Remedy." Seats free.

DIED AT INFIRMARY.

Robert Weitchman, a resident of Oakland, aged 72 years, died yesterday at the County Infirmary. Deceased was a native of Germany.

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STOCKHOLDERS' ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of stockholders of The First National Bank of Oakland, California, will be held on Tuesday, January 10, 1905, at 12 o'clock M., at the banking room, No. 1000 Broadway street, Oakland, Cal.

P. E. BOWLES, President.

L. G. BURPEE, Cashier

THE LATEST NEWS OF THE DAY—4:30 P. M.

FRUIT MEN MEET AT SAN JOSE.

Subjects of Interest to State Discussed at Session.

SAN JOSE, December 6.—The chief feature of the opening session of the State Fruit Growers' Convention this morning was the address by President Elwood Cooper, who comprehensively reviewed the present unsatisfactory condition of the fruit industry, dwelt upon the necessity of bringing order out of chaos, and treated generally of such phases of the industry as lack market facilities, the Panama canal and the influence it will exert upon the industry, the exhibit at St. Louis and its results, nursery stock, fruit tree pests entomological work, and food adulteration.

The session was opened with prayer by the Rev. Anthony Mills, and a brief address of welcome was made by Mayor Worswick, H. B. Stabler of Sutter and W. P. Lyon of Edenvale, were elected vice-presidents, and John Isaac acted as secretary. President Cooper announced that the biennial report of the horticultural commission would be ready by January, and that it would contain a report of the proceedings of this convention. Messrs. Fowler, Worthen and Woolsey were appointed a committee to report on the president's address.

Secretary Isaac read the annual report of the work of the commission, and Dr. Anderson, president of the State Polytechnic School at San Luis Obispo, gave a brief exposition of the workings of that institution. Governor Pardee, who was down for an address, was not present.

The program this afternoon embraces addresses by Dr. David Starr Jordan, A. N. Judd, Frank E. Kellogg, John S. Dore, and Edward Berwick, each address to be followed by a general discussion. This evening a social gathering of the members will be held in the Unitarian Church. As yet there are no surface indication of the warm discussion that has been predicted in relation to the transportation question.

BREAD RIOTS NOT VERIFIED.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 6.—The Interior Department does not confirm the report published by the daily press of London in a despatch from Moscow to-day of bread riots in many parts of Russia. The mid-Russian provinces are the only ones where the harvests are bad. In Bessarabia, Kherson and other governments the harvests have been the best in years.

SUDDENLY STRICKEN.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—William Blaikie, aged 61, a well known lawyer, author, athlete and advocate of physical culture, was stricken with apoplexy to-day and died before a physician could be summoned.

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GERMANY TO DOUBLE STRENGTH.

Will Send More Men to Its Chinese Station.

BERLIN, December 6.—A despatch to the Tageblatt from Kiel says the admiralty has determined to double the strength of the detachment of marine artillery stationed at Kiaochou, the German port on the Shantung peninsula, and to add four companies numbering 700 men to the garrison, also sending out an experienced officer of the general admiralty staff.

EMPLOYES ARE BEING WATCHED

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 6.—The missing bag of $15,000 in gold was stolen from Wells, Fargo & Co.'s office on November 28th. The company have put all the men who could in any way have had access to the bag under surveillance as a precautionary measure, and every step is being taken to recover the lost coin. Officials still maintain that no one man is under suspicion and the investigation will be general.

A telegram was received from New York by the officials of Wells, Fargo & Co., informing them that the missing bag of $15,000 was not in the sealed safe. This demolished the theory that the bag had been missent.

J. C. Tice, in speaking of the loss, said yesterday:

"We have now to start in and try and discover the thief. Every man in this office has been closely questioned, and so far there has not been a clew given on which we can work. The only thing we have to do is to wait and see what develops. The men who work in the coin department have been here for many years; some of them began service in this company in 1868, and it does not seem possible that any man in this department could be guilty of the theft."

FRAUD CASE GOES TO JURY.

PORTLAND, December 6.—In his instructions to the jury Judge Bellinger asked for the acquittal of Miss Marie Ware, whom the prosecution admitted on Saturday was not sufficiently implicated in the present case to warrant her conviction. The case went to the jury at 2:15 o'clock.

SENT OUT BOGUS PRESCRIPTIONS

CHICAGO, December 6.—Out of 189 decoy prescriptions sent out by the State Board of Pharmacy to Chicago druggists to be filled twenty-three contained no trace of the drug called for; sixty-six were 50 per cent impure; ten were 20 per cent impure, and only thirty-one were pure.

As a result the board will prosecute over 100 druggists for selling impure drugs.

MINERS ARE IN SESSION

Gold Dredging is Discussed at the Annual Meeting.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 6.—The second day's session of the California Miners' Association opened with a full attendance of delegates. President Belshaw was in the chair and after he had called the meeting to order a paper on "Gold Dredging" was read by I. J. Hohl, who gave an interesting account of the work now being done in Yuba county. He described the manner in which the gold dredgers were operated and gave statistics showing the amount of gold recovered by this method which otherwise would have been lost. He declared that the work had been a great benefit, not only in Yuba county, but to the State at large as it had opened a new wealth producing field.

Thomas H. Leggett of Johannesburg then delivered a lecture on mining methods in South Africa. He paid a tribute to the American mining men who have been largely instrumental in developing mines in that part of the world.

The morning session was concluded by the reading of a paper on "Debris and Sediment," by Professor S. B. Christy. It was a thoughtful review of the subject and was listened to with marked attention.

This afternoon the delegates visited the Union Iron Works and other points of interest in the harbor.

WORK ON THE FAIRMONT RESUMED

SAN FRANCISCO, December 6.—Several contracts for finishing work on the Fairmount Hotel on Nob Hill have been awarded and operations which were discontinued for a time, have been resumed.

Lack of ready money caused Mrs. Oelrichs to discontinue the work, and it was rumored that she intended to abandon her project of building the memorial to her late father. This proved to be untrue, however, and now the work will be pushed to completion.

There is still considerable work to be done, and it is estimated that it will cost about $1,100,000. When completed and furnished the building will represent an outlay of about $2,000,000.

The negotiations over the contracts were conducted by Reid Brothers, the architects. At their offices today it was stated that many of the contracts for completing the building had been awarded, and that the building would be finished as soon as possible.

M. H. De Young, representing Mrs. Oelrichs, will have charge of leasing the big hotel.

POSTMASTERS FOR THIS STATE.

WASHINGTON, December 6.—Among the nominations sent to the Senate were those of a large number of postmasters, including many recess appointments. The original appointments include the following:

California—Hiram H. Richmond, Auburn; William J. Kilby, Coalinga; Cora B. Wales, Colfax; Joseph Smith, Downey; John M. Jolley, Oceanside; George A. Griffin, Tuolumne.

CLERK SORRY HE STOLE GOODS

Harry Sparber was before Police Judge Smith this morning on a charge of having received stolen goods preferred by E. D. Schumacher, a clerk, who confesses to having stolen the goods. There was little testimony offered save that of Schumacher who said that he had stolen the goods, and had disposed of them to Sparber.

Schumacher was employed by Dunham, Carrigan & Hayden, hardware merchants of San Francisco.

Schumacher says he was conscience-stricken on November 10, and thereafter did not steal anything. The case will go on to-morrow morning.

DISPUTED NOTES

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Frank Lyon, receiver of the Oberlin Bank, arrived in this city to-day accompanied by F. E. Oldham, a lawyer of Cleveland, counsel representing the United States Comptroller's office at Washington, and I. K. Whitney, a builder of Oberlin and a depositor in the Oberlin Bank. Mr. Lyon would neither affirm nor deny that he had with him two notes for $750,000 bearing the name of Andrew Carnegie. He declared his business was not with Mr. Carnegie.

RACE ENTRIES FOR TOMORROW.

First race—Futurity course; 2-year-olds; selling.

7473	Royal Sweepstakes	105
7511	Bearskin	108
7427	Fay Templeton*	100
7491	Velna*	100
7507	Golden Buck*	106
7517	Ara*	112
7517	The Gadfly*	105
7517	Bob Ragon	112

The Family Club Handicap—For 3-year-olds and upward; $1,000 added. The Family Club of San Francisco to present the owner of the winner with a silver cup; one mile and a sixteenth; to be run Saturday, December 10th.

Second race—5 1-2 furlongs; 2 and 3-year-olds; selling.

7517	Marie J*	86
7363	Edgecliff*	86
7076	Flo Manola	106
7340	Facts*	101
7516	Libble Candid*	101
7511	Edrodun*	86
7469	Ponapa*	101
7484	Standard	106
7427	Bill Short	94
7517	Gallant Cassie	91
7473	The Reprobate	91
7411	David Boland	91
7398	Queen Fay*	101
7515	Harka*	101

A handicap—Purse $600; for all ages; one mile; to be run Wednesday, December 7th.

Third race—1 mile, 70 yards; 3-year-olds and up; selling.

7522	Lady Kent	109
7508	Brennus	108
7520	Flying Torpedo	109
7513	Flaneur*	104
7467	Bill Young*	104
7514	Dungannon*	100
7515	Mistletoe*	100
7482	J. V. Kirby	109

Fourth race—1 mile; all ages; handicap.

7471	Vesuvian	112
7512	Veterano	100
7494	Ananias	104
7512	Bombardier	108
7512	Gateway	97

Fifth race—6 furlongs; 3-year-olds and up; selling.

6624	Mansard*	108
7461	Sad Sam*	105
7476	San Nicolas*	113
7515	Oro Viva*	108
7503	The Forum*	102
7478	Clasus	107
7519	Little Wally	100
7518	H. L. Frank*	101
7472	Telephone	109
7453	W. R. Condon	110
7519	The Lieutenant	103
7472	Romaine	110

Sixth race—6 furlongs; 2-year-olds and up; purse.

7479	Ishtar	109
7488	Whoa Bill	108
7471	Yellow Tail	112
7502	Nigrette	109
7458	Allopath	109
7450	Squire Johnson	93
7476	Toledo	108

* Apprentice allowance.

THE RACES

FIRST RACE.

Molto (Knapp), 6 to 1 1
Emma Reubold (Travers), 12 to 2
Canonicus (Daly), 6 to 1 3
Time, 1:16.

Jennings' entry, Isabutte, was made the favorite, opening in the betting at 3 to 1, and closing at 3 to 2. Jockey Davis, who was the pilot, rode his best, but Isabutte was not ready. Molto won driving. Travers is improving.

SECOND RACE.

Scotsman (Michaels), 3 to 1 1
Col. Van (Sullivan), 17 to 10 2
Gold Finder (Sherwood), 60 to 1 3
Time, 143½.

Scotsman won in the last jump. Michaels put up a wonderful ride and took the race away from Col. Van. Gold Finder may live up to his name some day.

THIRD RACE.

Sol Lichtenstein (Hilgesen), 11 to 1 1
Dr. Sherman (Davis), 8— 2
Mimo (Travers), 7 to 1 3
Time, 1:14.

Sol Lichtenstein was boosted from $400 to $900 and claimed by Peter Dunigan. Word was received by the California Jockey Club this afternoon from the Western Jockey Club that Lais and Andray Andria had been reinstated.

CARRIED MANY MEN

MOSCOW, December 6.—The Japanese cruiser Adzuma, which ran on a mine and was sunk, also referred to as the Azuma and Adsuma, was built at St. Nazaire, France, and was launched in 1901. She carried four 8-inch guns, twelve 6-inch guns and twenty-four smaller rapid-fire guns, had five torpedo tubes and a complement of 482 men.

HORSEMEN ARE IN SESSION.

CHICAGO, Dec. 6.—The eighth biennial congress of the American Trotting Association began here to-day. Leading breeders of trotting horses and patrons of harness racing from all parts of the country were present.

The board of appeals will be in session for a week as there are 150 cases on the docket. A decision is expected in the case of Crescent, whose record of 2:59 3-4, made two years ago on the Wichita (Kansas) track has been questioned.

CALEB POWERS TO HAVE NEW TRIAL

FRANKFORT, Ky., Dec. 6.—The Court of Appeals today reversed a decision of the Circuit Court in the case of Caleb Powers, now in jail at Louisville under sentence of death for complicity in the murder of Governor Goebel. This gives Powers a new trial.

JAPANESE PLAN A BLUFF

Will Not Be Able to Get Europe in Quarrel.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 6.—Japanese reports received here to the effect that a belligerent program has been mapped out in case France, Germany and Portugal fail to comport themselves toward the Russian Second Pacific Squadron in accordance with the Japanese idea of their duties are neutrals are considered here to be largely bluff.

The supposition that Japan actually contemplates action which might embroil Europe is not credited.

It is pointed out that by complicating the situation and introduce new elements Japan is not only likely to prejudice her position at the end of the war but in the meantime alienate the sympathies of the powers now friendly to her. Russia desires none of the powers to break its neutrality in her favor.

Japan has already protested to France, and also, it is believed, to Germany, but these protests are regarded as perfectly proper in order to protect any possible rights that may be claimed regarding disputed questions of international law relative to the duties of neutrals.

CARNEGIE IS INTERESTED.

NEW YORK, December 5.—Andrew Carnegie said today that he had nothing to add to his previous denials of the signatures of the notes attributed to him. He said that he had not seen Receiver Lyon or any one else connected with the case. He asked what were the latest developments, and learned them with apparent interest. He said that he would be glad to see Mr. Lyon or any one else connected with the affair, and added:

"If any United States government official will come to see me he will receive a very gracious reception."

CREDITORS ARE NOT PAID.

BERKELEY, December 6.—Andrew Anderson, a well known politician, who has been residing with his wife at the corner of Tenth street and San Pablo avenue, in West Berkeley, has left town suddenly, leaving a large number of creditors to mourn his departure. It is said that he sailed on the Manchuria for the Philippines last Saturday. He deserted his young wife, to whom he has only been married one year. Anderson was formerly a deputy in the County Recorder's office.

FUNERAL OF LATE GEORGE E. GRANT

The funeral of the late capitalist George E. Grant was held this afternoon from his residence, 1253 Third avenue, at 2 o'clock. A large number of friends and acquaintances were in attendance to pay their last respects to the departed. The services were conducted by Rev. J. K. Jones, pastor of the First Unitarian Church. He preached a sermon, in which the character and life of the deceased was depicted.

Many of the friends who were unable to be present at the funeral in person sent flowers. All of the organizations of which the deceased was a member sent floral offerings.

After the services the remains were taken to the Oakland Crematory, where they were incinerated according to the wish of the deceased.

Among those present at the funeral were his close business associates. The pall bearers were chosen from the following intimate business friends: J. S. Emery, W. C. Mason, Charles W. Kellogg, E. M. Hall, J. W. Phillips, H. A. Powell, George T. Hawley, George E. Edwards, C. H. Redington, Isaac L. Requa, George C. Pardee and A. D. Smith.

At the request of the deceased there was no music at the funeral.

POSTPONES CASE.

The charge of disturbing the peace preferred by Mrs. J. T. Wilson, against her husband was postponed to-day in the Police Court, owing to the unwillingness of the complaining witness to prosecute. Both the wife and the husband are very old.

COMPANY SUSPENDS.

INDIANAPOLIS, December 6.—The National Commission Company, with four branches in the city and forty in the state, suspended today, the result of the sustained bull movement in the market.

The President's Message Is Printed in Full in Tonight's TRIBUNE, and Can Be Found on Pages 9, 10 and 11.

EJECTED FROM HOUSE

STRANGER CAUSES COMMOTION AND IS PUT OUT BY OFFICERS.

WASHINGTON, December 6.—Soon after the House met today Mr Burton, chairman of the committee to notify the President that the House was in session and ready for business, reported that the President had informed them that he would today submit a message in writing.

Just before Speaker Cannon rapped the House to order an elderly man occupying a front seat in the public gallery uttered a series of long drawn-out whoops. Much commotion was caused before he was ejected.

At 12:30 o'clock, Mr. Barnes, assistant secretary to the President, arrived and announced that he was directed by the President to submit to the House a message in writing. The clerk at once began reading the President's annual message to Congress.

Upon the conclusion of the reading of the message there was loud applause from the Republican side.

The message, on motion of Mr. Payne, was referred to the committee of the whole house on the state of the union and ordered to be printed, after which the house adjourned.

OLDEST ACTRESS LAID IN GRAVE

NEW YORK, December 6.—Three thousand persons, including many of the best known members of the theatrical profession, attended the funeral of Mrs. George Henry Gilbert, the actress, in the Bloomingdale Reformed Church today. Hundreds were unable to secure admittance to the church. The Rev. William C. Stimpson delivered a brief eulogy.

The honorary pall bearers were Francis Wilson, Clyde Fitch, John Drew, Nat Goodwin, George Gould, Sir Charles Wyndham, A. M. Palmer, Daniel Frohman, former Justice Joseph F. Daly, Frank F. Aiken, William Bispham and James Van Amringe.

The interment was in Greenwood cemetery.

SENATE IN SESSION.

WASHINGTON, December 6.—At 2:07 p. m., the reading of the President's message was concluded and the Senate went into executive session.

When the reading of the message was concluded Mr. Gallinger submitted a partial report from the Merchant Marine Commission, detailing the work done by it and asking that the time for the completion of its work be extended until January next.

The extension of time was granted without dissent. The Senate went into executive session, and at 2:20 p. m. adjourned.

EUREKA, Cal., Dec. 6.—The merchandise store of B. Blocksburger and the saloon of J. Herford at Blocksburg, a town seventy miles south of here, were destroyed by fire on Sunday night. Loss, $6000, partly covered by insurance.

ROME, Dec. 6.—General Ricciotti Garibaldi, the last surviving son of the Italian heir and his first wife, Anita, is dying from nephritis.

DIED.

ALGEO—In this city Dec. 5, 1904, William J., beloved husband of Mary Algeo and father of George T. Algeo, a member of Samarita Lodge No. 2, I. O. O. F., of Portland, Ore., a native of Canada, aged 66 years, 6 months and 27 days. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services to-morrow, Wednesday, at two o'clock p. m. at the residence of his son, George T. Algeo, 1300 Peralta street, corner of Sixteenth street. Interment Mountain View Cemetery.

BAITX—In this city Dec. 6, 1904, Yonne, beloved wife of Joseph Baitx and daughter of Pierre Berit and sister of Mrs. Gustave Colson and sister-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Salatte and Mrs. Jules Clement, a native of California, aged 28 years. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, Thursday, at two o'clock from her late residence, No. 662 33rd st. Interment St. Mary's Cemetery.

LEACH—In this city Dec. 5, 1904, at 867 Chester street, James G. Leach, beloved husband of Jessie Leach, a member of Myrtle Lodge No. 16, K. of P., of San Francisco, a native of New Hampshire, aged 65 years, 3 months and [illegible] days.

OAKLAND CREMATION ASSOCIATION

THE COLUMBARIUM

is now complete and a general invitation is extended to all to inspect the same. Visitors will find the most complete and up-to-date crematory and Columbarium in the world.

Don't be afraid to ask questions as we take pleasure in answering all queries concerning the art of cremation.

J. R. BROWN, Supt.
Cor. Howe and Mather Sts.
Take Piedmont Ave. Car.

ANOTHER ARREST IS MADE.

Officers Believe They Have the Bandit in Custody.

LOS ANGELES, December 6.—Another arrest was made at Ludlow, a small station 50 miles to the eastward of Daggett on the Santa Fe. The suspect is a white man and it is believed by the authorities that they have the right man.

He was at Daggett for some time prior to the robbery and was seen there up to the time it occurred. About that time he disappeared, however, and was not heard from again until he was arrested at Ludlow. He denies any connection with the crime and claims that he was on his way to some mines in the interior. It is stated that he was formerly a railroad man and familiar with the construction of express cars and would have known how to effect an entrance into the car from the end door as was done.

The name of the negro under arrest in this city is Garfield Williams. Williams claims that he was on his way West with a carload of horses, had been refused the right to ride further with the horses and was making his way the best he could when taken into custody. He will be taken before Messenger Roberts as soon as the latter is able to see any one. The suspect at Ludlow is also being brought to this city for identification.

WILL BUILD HOME.

Copy of a contract let by Mrs. Mary B. von Adelung to D. B. Farquharson for the erection of a house to cost $7745 was filed for record this afternoon. The house is to be built on Twenty-ninth street near Telegraph avenue.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate of Michael Hartery, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned executrix of the last will of Michael Hartery, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said executrix at the office of John J. McDonald, number 856 Broadway street, Oakland, Alameda County, California, which said office the undersigned selects as her place of business in all matters connected with said estate of Michael Hartery, deceased.

KATE HATTON,
Executrix of the last will of Michael Hartery, deceased.

Dated, Oakland, December 6, 1904.
JOHN S. DUNN,
Attorney for Petitioner,
Nevada Block, San Francisco.

Too Late For Classification

WANTED—A good, sober and industrious teamster immediately; apply to Rohan's coal yard, 5th and Washington sts. d

NEWLY furnished apartments; sun all day; central; $10 to $25. 1118 Brush st. cor. 11th. n

WANTED—Girl in music store; good salary. Call 1252 Broadway. e

LOST—Silver mounted umbrella, marked H. L. B. on end; finder will please notify Derby 141 by phone; reward. r

COMPETENT woman wishes work by the day. $25 22d st. h

INCUBATOR—120 egg Cyphers; used 1 year. Ching, 1603 E. 18th st., Fruitvale. x

FOR RENT—3 unfurnished rooms, gas and water included; use of bath; $12. 1125 3rd ave., East Oakland. m

FURNISHED rooms with or without housekeeping; parlor suite. 516 Telegraph. q

RESPONSIBLE woman wants charge of rooming house; good references. Box 760 Tribune. h

WANTED—Unfurnished flat of five or six rooms, sunny and central; best of references. Address Box 761 Tribune. f

SUNNY furnished lower flat, four rooms, bath, laundry, yard, coal and gas ranges; central; adults. 750 17th st.

POSITION for second work by Swedish girl; $25. Box 763 Tribune. h

POSITION as cashier or clerk by reliable young woman. Box 762 Tribune. h

GOOD reliable boys wanted to deliver on bicycles. Apply at once, Hasty Special Messenger Co., 425 10th st. d

LOT on Vernon st., 50x120, near Senator Perkins' residence, for sale cheap for cash or will exchange for realty syndicate certificate at par. Inquire at 1323 Broadway; price, $1500. Wurtz & Co. u

WANTED—A girl to assist in light house work. Call at 567 Telegraph ave. e

DR. J. HAMILTON ROTHBERG, osteopathic physician, chronic diseases a specialty. Office and residence, 518 23d st.

WANTED—From 1 to 5 acres, suitable for chicken ranch, on or near San Leandro car line. Address particulars to Box 765 Tribune.

WANTED—Woman to assist and do housework in exchange for three housekeeping rooms. 215 E. 17th. e

LARGE front furnished room suitable for two. 413 19th. n

ASSISTANT collector. Apply Wiener Cloak & Suit Co., 10th and Clay. d

COMPETENT man wishes work of any kind; hotel or restaurant preferred. Box 764 Tribune. g

NEW modern sunny flat. Apply 816 12th st. bet. 10 and 11 or 2 and 4.

LOST—A silk neck boa on Clay st. bet. 8th and 12th sts. on Monday afternoon; please return to 562 8th st. and receive reward. r

FOR SALE—Two fine saddle horses, six and eight years old; suitable for lady or gentleman, will also drive. 513 32d st. x

CHILDREN boarded over 3; mother's care. 1846 Grove st., Oakland. q

GOOD Japanese boy wishes situation to do housework and plain cooking and washing. 704 26th; phone Red 6722. g

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The President's Message

The President's Message is a meaty document, full of thought, practical suggestion and sensible commentary on matters of general policy and administration. It is calm and business-like in tone and evinces a steadiness of purpose and grasp of detail that will fully justify all that his admirers have believed of him and be a complete answer to the criticisms passed upon him during the recent campaign by his adversaries. In nothing is it spectacular; nowhere is it declamatory; it is throughout dispassionate in temper and moderate in statement. It is the product of a well-ordered mind and is expressive of clearly defined purposes. As to the tariff, the President says he will communicate with Congress later, but he discusses the labor and trust questions at considerable length, also naturalization frauds, Alaskan matters, our foreign policy, arbitration, the Postal service, irrigation, and many other matters of public interest. He cautions Congress against extravagance, and recommends the passage of an employers' liability law. No part of the message will be more closely scrutinized than the paragraph devoted to corporations which, of course, includes the trusts. A perusal of it compels the conviction that the President has in nowise relaxed his determination to enforce the law against illegal combinations and to urge the enactment of legislation to protect the public against unjust exactions and combinations in restraint of trade. "The National Government alone," he says, "can deal adequately with these great corporations. To try to deal with them in an intemperate, destructive or demagogic spirit, would, in all probability, mean that nothing whatever would be accomplished, and with the absolute certainty that if anything were accomplished it would be of a harmful nature. The American people need continue to show the very qualities that they have shown—that is, moderation, good sense, the earnest desire to avoid doing any damage, and yet the quiet determination to proceed step by step, without halt and without hurry, in eliminating or at least minimizing whatever of mischief or of evil there is to interstate commerce in the conduct of great corporations." There is nothing violent or vindictive in this statement, but it carries a note of firm decision which will assure the country that the President is resolved to do his duty. Further on he amplifies his meaning in a way to make it plain that he intends to safeguard capital as well as protect the public from imposition and spoliation. As a whole, the message impresses one with the earnestness, sincerity and candor of the writer. It is pregnant with the sense of grave responsibility and the feeling that an even hand must be held in dealing with the trust problem. The temple of industrial prosperity must not be pulled down, but the speculative money-changers and parasites must be whipped out of it.

Hearty invitations have been extended the President to visit the South by Charleston, Atlanta, New Orleans, Louisville, Memphis, Nashville, Chattanooga, St Johns and other Southern cities, and it is announced that Senator Tillman has withdrawn his opposition to the confirmation of Dr. Crum as Collector of the Port of Charleston. Those are gratifying evidences that the Southern brethren are getting off their nerves. They are at last finding out that going into hysterics over trifles is neither an impressive nor profitable performance. Let us hope they will now consent to come in and sit at the table and be members of the family without demanding that the fatted calf be killed in their honor, or that the grace over the feast be sung to the tune of "Dixie," as a concession to their local pride. A whole section, embracing a dozen States and containing many millions of inhabitants should not consent to be made ridiculous by sulking and pretending to be insulted and persecuted. Such nonsense is not only absurd—it is tiresome and stupid.

To Prevent Railroad Accident

With his usual force and emphasis, the President, in his message to Congress, calls attention to the necessity for legislation that will compel the railroads to take greater precautions for the personal safety of their patrons and employees. In this connection, he recommends legislation in the interest of public safety, limiting the hours of labor for railroad employes. An overworked man cannot be as vigilant and careful as one not overworked, and too long hours of service cause not only weariness of body, but torpidity of faculties. The President recommends a more rigid and extended inspection service to enforce strict compliance with the provisions of the Safety-Appliance law, also the passage of the proposed act making the adoption of the block signal system compulsory. His recommendations will meet with the hearty approval of both the traveling public and the railway employes, and are besides in the interests of humanity and public policy. Last year more people were killed and injured on American railways than the total casualties of both armies in the great battle of Liaoyang. This is both shocking to the moral sense and a shame to the country; besides, the frequency of railroad accidents keeps the courts encumbered with damage suits which delay other forms of litigation and create political embarrassments, since the judiciary is elective in nearly all the States. Some of the great railroad systems are voluntarily adopting the precautions which the President suggests should be made compulsory, but others wilfully neglect them, hence the necessity for Congressional action.

A good many people are glad they ate their Thanksgiving dinner before they began to figure up how much their Christmas presents were going to cost them. Otherwise their faces might have been longer than the prayers of thanks.

Another View of the Japanese

Richard Barry, a correspondent of the San Francisco Chronicle and Eastern periodicals, who has been at the front nearly ever since the outbreak of hostilities, has returned from the seat of war in the Far East with an entirely different estimate of the Japanese than the one with which Jack London and Richard Harding Davis have favored the American people. Mr. Barry has great admiration for the Japanese, and finds no fault whatever with the treatment he received at their hands. So far from finding them discourteous or covertly hostile, he says they are kindly, considerate and hospitable to an exceptional degree. "As for the individual Japanese," says Mr. Barry, "from private to general he is a delightful associate."

"Once with the army in the field," he says, "the courtesy and hospitality of the Japanese is almost beyond belief—in fact, embarrassing. One had to scheme diligently to visit an officer or even a private, and the privates are as interesting and likable as the officers, to escape hospitality which we all knew they could ill afford time or energy to furnish. In the midst of the most desperate conditions of the campaign they were able to supply us with all necessities and many comforts, and the foreigner, a non-combatant, was looked after as carefully as one of their own Generals. The look, at times, was a bit too careful, and we had to plead and argue to have its vigilance released; but I am convinced that this surveillance was due far more to a concern for our well being than to any fear that we would learn too much of the precious military secrets; because, when they were finally able to understand that we came to take risks and to be responsible for our own safety, we were permitted to see all we wanted. Before the end I had every liberty and could have been shot as easily as not for all the hindrance put in the way. Nor was any information denied me, except such technical details as could interest military men alone, and which, once public, might cause great damage in acquainting the enemy with the conditions. But of all the things in which the world is interested—the moving of troops, the firing of batteries, assaulting, care of the wounded, location of intrenchments and strange methods of warfare employed—I was permitted to photograph and sketch as fully as I pleased."

Mr. London and Mr. Davis left Japan imbued with the impression that the Japanese have a secret dislike and contempt for all white men. Perhaps this adverse opinion is due to temperament. At any rate, it is not the one held by Mr. Barry, who has had the advantage of a longer and wider acquaintance with the Japanese than that enjoyed—or borne—by Messrs. London and Davis. Mr. Barry wore no literary honors on his sleeve, and seems to have recognized that military exigency cannot be subordinated to a desire to be obliging. Perhaps he did not assume that the Japanese were his social and mental inferiors, and by exhibiting a feeling of frank companionship, failed to create an atmosphere of antagonism. Anyhow, he got along all right and came away from the seat of war with a conviction that the Japanese are as genuinely courteous and hospitable to Americans as they are brave and skillful in war.

Vice-President Kruttschnitt's caution circular to the operative employes of the Harriman roads warning them to be extra careful and not get off their trolleys during the holiday season indicates that Mr. Kruttschnitt possesses an abiding knowledge of the seductive qualities of egg nogg and Tom and Jerry, which is not strange in view of the fact that Mr. Kruttschnitt was bred in New Orleans.

We learn from Maxwell's Talisman that George H. Maxwell is the father of irrigation in the West and that the enactment of the irrigation law by Congress was due to his labors and influence. Mr. Maxwell is too modest by half. He ought to admit that he created the Western Continent and punched Columbus to go out in search of it. Such a really great man as he is should not hide his light under a pint cup.

Quite a bunch of people voted for Judge Parker after all—5,119,704, to be exact. The persons who are flippantly talking about the Democratic party being dead had better defer ordering flowers for the funeral for the present. The Democratic party has all the characteristics of a mob—it can scatter and get together quicker than anything you ever saw, and it always has in it the germ of a political upheaval.

General Nelson A. Miles is to be Adjutant General to the shoemaker-Governor of Massachusetts. Apparently Governor Douglass proposes to put the National Guard of Massachusetts on a $3.50 shoe basis.

CHIPS FROM OTHER BLOCKS.

Russia is suffering from a rather severe attack of zemstvos. And everybody knows Best Beloved, how painful that is.—Philadelphia North American.

"Urey" Woodson is back at the old Kentucky home preparing to kill hogs. He now admits with a quaver in his voice that it is exceedingly difficult to tell when the eye of the political hog is "sot."—Atlanta Constitution.

A run on a Cleveland bank was stopped the other day by the arrival of an automobile at the bank loaded with money for the depositors. Under such circumstances the driver might be excused for violating the speed limit.—New York Tribune.

It is interesting to learn that the President is in fine boxing form, and that he has engaged the services of the Hon. Mike Donovan to train his eldest son in the manly art. Looks as if Mr. Roosevelt was preparing for the onrush of place-hunters.—The Monitor.

The pigskin retires just as the sealskin is coming into prominence.—Boston Globe.

A dispatch from Washington says money is plentiful. The great trouble, however, is that no matter how plentiful money may be it is always necessary to do something before one can get any of it.—Chicago Record-Herald.

As a special honor, rarely conferred, our old friend Mr. Wu, is permitted to ride horseback in the Forbidden City. That is better than having to take crowded trolly cars, at least.—Boston Transcript.

SAY TEDDY.

UNCLE SAM HAS SOME JOBS FOR HIS FOREMAN.

(By John H. Pierce.)

Say, Teddy, we're tired of "frenzied finance;"
Just shoot them up now, why yes! make them dance.
Take all the stolen gold out of their pants;
What if they blubber, the overgrown whales,
Those millionaire pirates, just put them in jails.
If they slosh about too much, then cut off their tails.
Riots in the Rockies, and our party to blame—
Won't State rights allow you a hand in the game?
Well, then, I would take it, you bet, just the same.
I smell burnt meat on the Southern air;
Say Teddy, they're burning the niggers down there;
No one but fiends will say that it's fair.
Yes, go to Manila with railways galore,
One New York to 'Frisco in my little store,
Might prove it all right to buy a few more.
Shoulder your spade for old Panama,
Build up the shipping, and give us a law
That will make the old lion let up with his paw.
Say, Teddy, we count you as good as they make;
We know that the bad ones can't give you the shake;
You keep on the track of the fraud and the fake.

TO BRIDE ISABEL.

In Cana old,
So we are told,
They came to wed;
And it is said
The wine grew rare.
But Christ was there—
Again it flowed
And gladness glowed.
Though joy may wane
Between the twain
As life flows on
And youth is gone,
There still is left
A fountain cleft
Which ne'er runs dry,
If Christ be nigh.
Though calm it grows
It deeper flows.
Christ's wine was best,
As all confessed.

—Chaplain Wallace, U. S. N.

IT IS SERIOUS

Some Oakland People Fail to Realize the Seriousness

The constant aching of a bad back, the weariness, the tired feeling, the pains and aches of kidney ills are serious—if neglected. Dangerous urinary troubles follow. An Oakland citizen shows you how to avoid them:

Mrs. Peter Holme, 613 Sixth street says "Mr. Holme has gone to Alaska on a salmon fishing boat and will not return for some months Shortly before he went away his back ached so he could not work, and I honestly believe if it had not been for the use of Doan's Kidney Pills obtained at a drug store he would have been unable to make the journey. Mr Holme had attacks of backache for many years At first they were mild but with the passing of time they came more frequently and were much more acute The last one was very severe, and when Doan's Kidney Pills stopped it and enabled him to return to work to say we entertain a very high opinion of the preparation mildly expresses the facts"

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Hints for the Ladies.

In fevers give food that is mostly easily digested. Milk, which contains all the food principles, is the best special diet for fevers.

For perspiring feet dissolve an ounce of sulphate of soda in a pint of hot water and rub the feet over with this every night and morning. Dust a little boracic acid into the stockings.

Anaemia may arise from lack of exercise or it may be occasioned by mental depression, anxiety, disappointment, trouble, acute excitement of the emotions or passions, or spinal irritation.

A bit of home surgery, stated to have been practiced when a splinter is driven into a child's hand particularly deep, is its extraction by steam. A bottle with a sufficiently wide mouth is filled two-thirds with very hot water and the mouth of the bottle is placed under the injured spot. The suction draws the flesh down, when a little pressure is used, and the steam in a moment or two extracts inflammation and splinter together. This is very efficacious when the offending substance has been in for several hours, long enough to have started some of its evil consequences.

Benzoinated water is a most refreshing astringent and has an agreeable odor, but its constant use imparts the elasticity of the skin. It is made by adding drop by drop, as through a filter, one quart of water to one dram of simple tincture of benzoin Bath sachets are today an indispensable adjunct to the toilet and bath Oatmeal, almond meal and borax are the three chief agents used. Powdered orris is sometimes added for the sake of the odor obtained. Oatmeal does not necessitate the use of soap, nor when used in sachet form does it render soap superfluous.

In typhoid fever the intestines are the seat of the trouble, and all solid foods should be debarred. Here nutritious broths and liquids are needed, but no meat should be given until the temperature has been normal for several days In scarlet fever avoid all nitrogenous foods because the kidneys and skin are congested and those are the organs that excrete nitrogen. Their work should be lessened, not increased. For this reason any of the legumes, beans, peas or lentils should not be used. Broth made from them would be most disastrous, while beef or mutton broth, which are less utritious, can be readily assimilated.

The nails should be rubbed every night with a little good nail emollient. Take a bottle of white vaseline and melt enough of it to fill a tablespoon. Put it in a deep bottle Heat it and while it is hot stir in a lump of spermaceti as big as half a walnut. Add six drops of a good perfume and set away to cool. Rub this into the nails every night. Nails that are bad should be touched with pumice stone. Take a little very finely powdered pumice and rub it on the polisher. Go across the nails once or twice briskly. Now polish them with pink powder. To make the nails pink it is only necessary to make them transparent. All nails would be pink if they were allowed to be so. Bleach the nails, rub them with powder until they shine, and they will be pink right down to the very tips

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—It is a new feature of the Lace House holiday display. You musn't lose time though if you think of buying a doll to dress yourself. Undressed dolls . . . . . 10c to $8.50
Dressed Dolls . . 25c to $4.50
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The Great Gift House

Of Alameda County

—that's what the Lace House is today and what it will continue to be till old Santa Claus ceases his labors for the year. And what kind of gifts do we offer? Here's a brief, incomplete, but usefully suggestive list:

GLOVES FOR EVERYBODY
PILLOW TOPS
NECKWEAR
FUR SCARVES
EBONY ARTICLES
SILVER ARTICLES
STAGHORN ARTICLES
UMBRELLAS.
WRIST BAGS
POCKET BOOKS.
MILITARY BRUSHES
HANDKERCHIEFS
MUFFLERS AND REEFERS
FANCY APRONS
RICH RIBBONS
CIGAR CASES
LEATHER ARTICLES
SUIT CASES AND GRIPS
FANCY SUSPENDERS
MEN'S NECKWEAR
LACE HOSIERY
BROOCHES
BUCKLE SETS
HAND MIRRORS
STANDING MIRRORS
FANCY BOXES
BEAUTIFUL DOLLS
CHILDREN'S FUR SETS
STYLISH BELTS
FASHIONABLE FANS
SILK WAISTS
OPERA BAGS
COMFORTERS
SPACHTEL WORK
STYLISH VEILS
SILK PETTICOATS
KIMONAS
EIDERDOWN ROBES
ETC... ETC.

Christmas Greeting From The Bigger Lace House

An excellent start was made last week—an occasional rush of customers heralded the approach of the army of buyers—and it proved just how well prepared we are to take care of you. Comparisons of prices, varieties and qualities show we are ace high and as to help we have engaged as much as can conveniently squeeze behind our counters and do justice to themselves and to you. Our whole store fairly breathes an air of economy—"the art of saving money"—Which is certainly a virtue considering the market price of turkey.

Must Not Delay the Selection of that Tailored Suit

When Christmas Eve shall be here we don't want to have a single customer disappointed because of our Cloak and Suit Section. It can be avoided if you will help us. If you intend to buy a suit or a coat come at once and select it, and give us time to fit it perfectly. There's ample time after you read this, but remember that each day's delay increases the risk of disappointment because of an overcrowded alteration room.

AT $15.00, $20.00, $25.00

—More suits are sold at these prices than at any other prices, because they are within easy distance of the limits of most purses. For this season's business special efforts were made to obtain the best values possible and have made enough comparison to know that our offerings at these popular figures cannot be duplicated. These lines include all the up-to-date styles; short, medium, or the long jacket as shown in picture; kilted skirts —all the little details that demonstrate good taste in dress, and the materials are the most seasonable shades & favorite mixtures.

Other stylish Suits are priced up to $50.00

The display of Walking Skirts was never more correct or complete; an actual $6.00 value, marked special $4.95 is worthy of the closest inspection.

Furs and Frost

—the former we have in plenty inside, the latter appears to have a good hold on the outside. But you'll find the warmth of our furs more than a match for the cold shafts of the frost man.

Nothing is more appropriate for a gift—glance at the picture and note the evident satisfaction of the wearer. She has one of our 60 inch scarves of fine electric seal fur, with silk frog fastenings and six tails. It is priced. $3.50

Warm Boas, mostly with six tails and made of popular furs are priced. . . . . $1.25 to $9.50

Long fur stoles, 60 to 100 inches long — in about fifteen different kinds of fur—Begins in price at $3.50 and there are all grades up to $32.50

The combination capes and stoles, known as pelerines are made in various styles and prices begin at $6.50

A Holiday Millinery Special

95c

To make more room for distinctly holiday lines, we have taken a big variety of Ladies' and Misses' Walking Hats that were $1.35, $1.50 and $1.75 and have marked them all 95c

They are the same hats you have seen marked at former prices, but with a recently-arrived shipment added to them.

A Holiday Ribbon Special

When ribbons are being used for all kinds of decorations it is good news to learn that you can buy high grade ribbons at the price regularly asked for lower grades. Here's an example:

All-silk, lustrous Taffeta Ribbon, No. 60, 3¾ inches wide: the quality that is usually sold at 25c, colors include white, cream, two shades of light blue, two shades of pink; navy, marine, champagne, turquoise, two shades of red, nile, maize, emerald, voilet and black; Special . . . . 15c yd

A Holiday Silk Special

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A fine lot of those popular Jap. silks, 22 inches wide and in a good range of colors; have been marked special at . . . . . 20c yd

About Our Glove Orders

Lace House Glove and Merchandise Orders are prized because they permit the receiver to exercise such a wide choice in selecting the gift most desired.

Think of the scope they afford —a pair of gloves, handkerchifes, neckwear, etc., for . . . . . $1.00 up to a handsome Tailored Costume for $50.00

Holiday Gifts for Children

First and foremost we would mention the Children's Fur Sets —neat Collars and Muffs in appropriate furs priced from . . . . . $1.25 to $5.75 the set

Children's warm Dresses, neat and stylish; all sizes to 14 years; priced from . . . . . 25c to $10.00

The cut shows a pretty dress of cashmere, trimmed with fancy braid for $2.50

Complete lines of Infant's wear — especially the knitted things demanded this cold weather.

MEN'S LEAGUE IN SESSION

AN INTERESTING AFFAIR HELD AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

Last evening the Men's Club of the First Baptist Church held a banquet, one of the important events of the jubilee week now being celebrated by this church. About one hundred and fifty men were present. The banuet was served in the chapel of the new edifice, which was daintily decorated for the occasion. During the evening musical selections were rendered by Miss Corrine Reagho, Mr. James M. Robinson and a double quartet.

Robert B. Gaylord, the president of the club, presided. Short talks were made by the pastor, Rev. H. J. Vosburgh and Rev. C. M. Hill, D. D. The speaker of the evening was Prof. H. W. Rolfe of Stanford University, who came as the substitute for Dr. Jordan, who was prevented from speaking by a severe cold. Prof. Rolfe gave an eloquent and stimulating address on Robert Louis Stevenson. He said in part:

"Stevenson was not only one of the most perfect writers of prose in the nineteenth century, but the most ardent champion of youth and childhood and a most sympathetic interpreter of their joys, but also one of the soundest, truest men of his time. He has been not only a purveyor of the best and most refined pleasure for us all, but a constant inspiring example of cheerfulness and persistence and courage as well. His spirit is summed up for us in the lines from his hand that are inscribed upon his tomb on the mountain-top above Apia:

Under the wide and starry sky,
Dig the grave and let me die;
Glad did I live and gladly die,
And I laid me down with a will.

This be the verse you grave for me;
Here he lies where he longed to be;
Home is the sailor, home from sea,
And the hunter home from the hill."

"And I laid me down with a will;" that's the best line of them all. It embodies for us the best lesson of Stevenson's life."

Yesterday morning one of the minor but most interesting services of the week was the meeting of the Baptist Ministers' Union of San Francisco and vicinity, which met by special invitation at the First Baptist Church. The paper of the morning was read by Rev. Leander Turner of Santa Rosa, who discussed with great beauty of diction and force of logic the subject of the "Vision of God in Nature." The members of the union were served with dinner by the King's Daughters' Circle of the church.

To-night a fraternal service will be held to which all are invited, especially the members of other denominations in Oakland. The general subject will be, "Religious Progress During the Past Fifty Years." Addresses will be given by Drs. Baker, Brown, Dille and Boyer.

AID SOCIETY'S CHRISTMAS SALE

The annual Christmas sale of useful and fancy articles by the Ladies' Aid Society of the Eighth Avenue M. E. Church, will be held at Odd Fellows' Hall, East Twelfth street and Eleventh avenue, Thursday and Friday afternoons and evenings, December 8 and 9.

A special program will be given each evening. Solos will be rendered by Mrs. Mabel Walker Murcell, Mrs. M. Melvin Denning, and George Walker will be heard in some of his famous chinese specialties.

On Friday evening a clam chowder supper will be served at 6 o'clock.

BOOKKEEPERS TO GIVE RECEPTION

To-night E. Reckitts, C. P. A., Past President of "The Illinois Certified Public Accounts," will be given a reception by the Oakland Association of Accountants and Bookkeepers. Mr. Reckitts has attained a high position in the affairs of the National Association of Certified Accountants. His ability is recognized and his address to-night will be one of considerable interest to employers. The associations are all founded for the purpose of securing up-to-date information in relation to accountancy. The merchants of the city are invited to meet at room 45, Blake Block.

MISSIONARIES TO LECTURE.

The semi-annual meeting of Oakland District, W. F. M. S. of the M. E. Church, will be held in Trinity M. E. Church, Berkeley, tomorrow morning, beginning at 10 a. m.

Rev. George B. Smyth of China, Miss Lizzie Hewitt of Japan and Mrs. Johnson of South America will deliver addresses.

DIAMONDS ARE STOLEN.

VANCOUVER, B. C., December 6.—The Jewelry store of A. Low has been entered by a burglar and robbed of diamonds valued at $10,000. After reporting the robbery to the police Low left for Seattle where he expects to recover the gems.

Store opens at 8:30 A. M. Store closes at 5:30 P. M. Saturday excepted.

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OAKLAND'S MOST POPULAR STORE

Santa Claus is Here

He will make his headquarters in our bazaar. Commencing tomorrow (Wednesday) he will hold receptions from 10 to 12 in the forenoon and 2 to 4 in the afternoon. Every little boy or girl who comes to see him (accompanied by their parents or guardian) will receive a nice present.

Bring the young ones to visit "Santa" in our Bazaar.

Extraordinary Waist Specials

One lot of fine Cheviot Waists, dainty patterns, nicely tailored, regular $2.00 values SPECIAL 95c

One lot of Plaid Waists, tailor-finished, regular $2.50 value . . . . . SPECIAL $1.45

One lot Imported Cheviot Waists, strictly tailored, elegant buttons, worth up to $7.50 . . . . . SPECIAL $2.95

A Few Specials at Flynn's This Week

Zibeline, 40 inches wide; regular price 50c per yard. . . . now 25c
Extra value in Childrens' heavy school hose; all sizes, 12½c pair
Children's hose; regular 25c value, for. . . . . 15c per pair
Children's all-wool cashmere stockings, all sizes . . . 25c per pair
Children's fine ribbed vests only, 50c values. . . . . now 25c
Men's Shetland shirts and drawers; regular $1.50 values, for . . . . . $1.00 each
Full size Comforters, white batting. . . . . $1.00 up
California Wool Blankets, full size, extra value. . . . $3.75 per pair

A full line of Cushions and Cushion Tops.

A large assortment of Feather Boas and Fur Boas at very low prices.

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IMPROVEMENT CLUB HOLDS ITS MEETING

A regular meeting of this club was held last evening at No. 1122 Thirteenth avenue, President Welch presiding.

A communication from Superintendent of Streets was received, in which he stated that all his force was employed to the limit, but that he hoped to take up the work he had promised to the residents of the district within a few days.

The Street Committee reported that a bad depression in front of No. 760 East Point earth street, which was reported on November 19, had not been repaired. The secretary was requested to communicate with the Contra Costa Water Company in regard to this matter.

Councilman Wallace was present and explained fully the present status of street work, etc., previously requested by the club. He stated that the Street Committee of the City Council had recommended the improvement of Eighteenth avenue from East Nineteenth to East Twenty-first streets as requested. He had written to the property owners or agents concerning the sidewalks asked for and felt confident that with the quite probable exception of one section on Nineteenth avenue, all would be constructed with no more unnecessary delay. Mr. Wallace made note of catch basins, culverts, etc., and promised his personal attention to these matters, and received the thanks of the club.

The president announced that the terms of the present officers expired at the next meeting and the secretary was instructed to issue notices calling for the nomination and election of officers on Friday December 16, to serve during 1905.

SCHLUETER'S

Santa Claus will be at Schlueter's Between 2 and 5 p. m. every day this week. Bring the little ones.

He wants to talk to them to show them the largest toy and doll stock. Select this and that to set aside for future delivery. You can buy today and have it delivered the day before Xmas. Our facilities for delivering will give no disappointments.

Burning outfits and material for wood and leather—greatest variety.

Our display of toys and dolls larger than all combined. Buy early.

Washington Street near Fourteenth

SCHOLARS PICNIC ON GOAT ISLAND

Last Saturday a party of jolly students of the Oakland High School, most of whom were members of the graduating class, spent a very enjoyable as well as interesting day at Goat Island, the party being chaperoned by Miss Fisher and Miss Hunker.

During the morning they were shown the government commissary department, the buoy wharf and the light-house station. Later they climbed to the summit of the island, where overlooking the bay and neighboring counties, they spread their feast.

After the "jolly-up" which followed the luncheon, the visited various points of interest on the island, such as the wireless telegraphy station, the naval training school, the United States training ship Pensacola, and the mess hall where Admiral Whiting served the party. Those present were Jean Booth, Avis Osborn, Linda Cotter, Hazel Wilkins, Helen Waterman, Isabelle Scupham, Ida Grossmayer, Ethel Crandely, Emily Aiken, Carol Scoby, Hazel Burton, Anita De Laguna, Grace Mourse, Elsie Roane, Bernice Swaney, Edna Whitney, Harriet Merrill, Alice Jones, Annie Jones, May Burkhalter, Jenette Stewart, Elsie Brunner, Ethel Dillon, Ruth Hitchcock; Irene Bromley, Hattie Wilson, Anita Otero, Helma Petit, Gertrude Pontius, Nellie Locke, Attal Hoag, May Cadwell, Dorothy Solomon, Hattie Wilson, Agnes Naismith, Lorina McIntyre, Sarah Young, Oliver Gulbe, Charles Whitton, Fred Mattox, Max Richardson, Robert Williams, Frank Mountain, Ralph Taylor, Howard Taylor, Harold Oliver, Carol Fitzpatrick, Wendell Kallenberger, Herbert Hildebrand, Ashley Cohn, Walter Crow, Linwood Dozier, Bruce Malden and Herman Rittigstein.

CONSTANTINIDI DIVORCE CASE.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6—The Constantinidi divorce suit which has been before the court from time to time for more than a year has ended, says a Herald dispatch from London, in an order by Sir Francis Jeune against the wife to make her husband a handsome allowance, to be increased on the death of her mother.

When Mr. Constantinidi obtained a divorce from his wife, Julia, daughter of the late Stephen Ralli, a millionaire Greek merchant, he was awarded the record damages of $125,000. The case was also remarkable as being the only instance where the husband, who himself admitted misconduct, had obtained a divorce.

AGED SHOE MAN DIES.

CHICAGO, December 6.—George E. P. Dodge, a retired shoe manufacturer of Chicago, and long one of the leading men in the industry in the West, is dead aged 64 years.

Mr. Dodge was born in Bennington, N. H., and came to Chicago in 1864 with Erskine M. Phelps, establishing the boot and shoe manufacturing firm of Phelps, Dodge & Palmer.

Mr. Dodge was a member of the Chicago, Washington Park, and other clubs.

TEA

Good tea costs no more than poor, as a rule.

It is strange.

Your grocer returns your money if you don't like Schilling's Best.

HAPPY CHILDHOOD

Right Food Makes Happy Children Because They are Healthy.

Sometimes milk does not agree with children or adults. The same thing is *true of other articles of food. What* agrees with one sometimes does not agree with others.

But food can be so prepared that it will agree with the weakest stomach. As an illustration—anyone, no matter how weak the stomach, can eat, relish and digest a nice hot cup of Postum coffee with a spoonful or two of Grape-Nuts poured in, and such a combination contains nourishment to carry one a number of hours, for almost every particle of it will be digested and taken up by the system and be made use of.

A lady writes from the land of the Magnolia and the mocking bird way down in Alabama and says: "I was led to drink Postum because coffee gave me sour stomach and made me nervous. Again Postum was recommended by two well known physicians for my children, and I feel especially grateful for the benefit derived.

"Milk does not agree with either child, so the eldest aged four and one-half years, I give Postum with plenty of sweet cream. It agrees with her splendidly regulating her bowels perfectly although she is of a constipated habit.

"For the youngest aged two and one-half years I use one-half Postum and one-half skimmed milk. I have not given any medicine since the children began using Postum and they enjoy every drop of it.

"A neighbor of mine is giving Postum to her baby lately weaned with splendid results. The little fellow is thriving famously." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Postum agrees perfectly with children and supplies adults with the hot, invigorating beverage in place of coffee. Literally thousands of Americans have been helped out of stomach and nervous diseases by leaving of coffee *and using Postum Food Coffee. Look in* pkg. for the little book, "The Road to Wellville."

WHEELMEN BOWL GAME.

CAPTAIN BARNS AND HIS TEAM WIN MATCH BY 400 PINS.

Last Saturday night the two rival teams of the Oakland Wheelmen played a match game at the Syndicate Alleys for a gold medal. The two teams lined up as follows:

Capt. Pie Barns, A. B. Moffitt, Al Gilbert, H. Colon.

Capt. J. Davidson, H. Orbell, N. Eidwell, W. Lane.

Capt. Pie Barns and his team carried off the honors by 400 pins. The last game was saved by the good score made by Al Moffitt of the winning side. H. Orbell, who is considered one of the best bowlers in the club, did not bowl up to the average.

After the game Captain Barns took his team to a local restaurant where they all enjoyed a banquet.

A return match will be bowled next Saturday night.

STANDARD OIL BOAT COMING TO SAN FRANCISCO

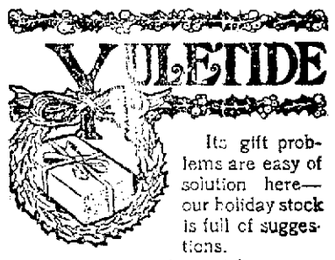
NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—The Standard Oil tank steamer Atlas will sail on Monday of next week for San Francisco by way of Cape Horn. The Atlas will have in tow steel tank barge No. 9. The distance to be covered is 14,000 miles, and it is the first attempt ever made to tow a barge around the Horn.

Many attempts have been made to tow barges on long ocean trips, but few have been entirely successful. The strain on the steel hawsers by which the barges are held to the steamer always has been sufficient in heavy weather to cause them to part.

In order to obviate that difficulty the Atlas has been equipped with cylinders revolving as the strain on the hawsers through high seas increases, allowing more of the steel cable to pay out. Then, as the strain is decreased, they will revolve in opposite direction, taking in the slack cable. The barge will carry a cargo of 26,000 barrels on the voyage.

5c, 10c and 15c Articles.

Worth three times the amount easily. Closing out a lot of crockery and glassware, H. Schellhaas' store, Eleventh street.



Its gift problems are easy of solution here—our holiday stock is full of suggestions.

No gift more beautiful or more practical can be chosen than one of the many patterns in our line of

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200 different styles from

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Also Special Watch Sale
Silver Watches from $3.75 up
10-year Gold Filled Watches . . . . . $6.75 up
20-year Gold Filled Watches . . . . . $10.00 up
14-K Solid Gold Watches. . . . . $20.00 up

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Bet. Seventh and Eighth.

LIGHTWEIGHT BOWLERS ISSUE A CHALLENGE

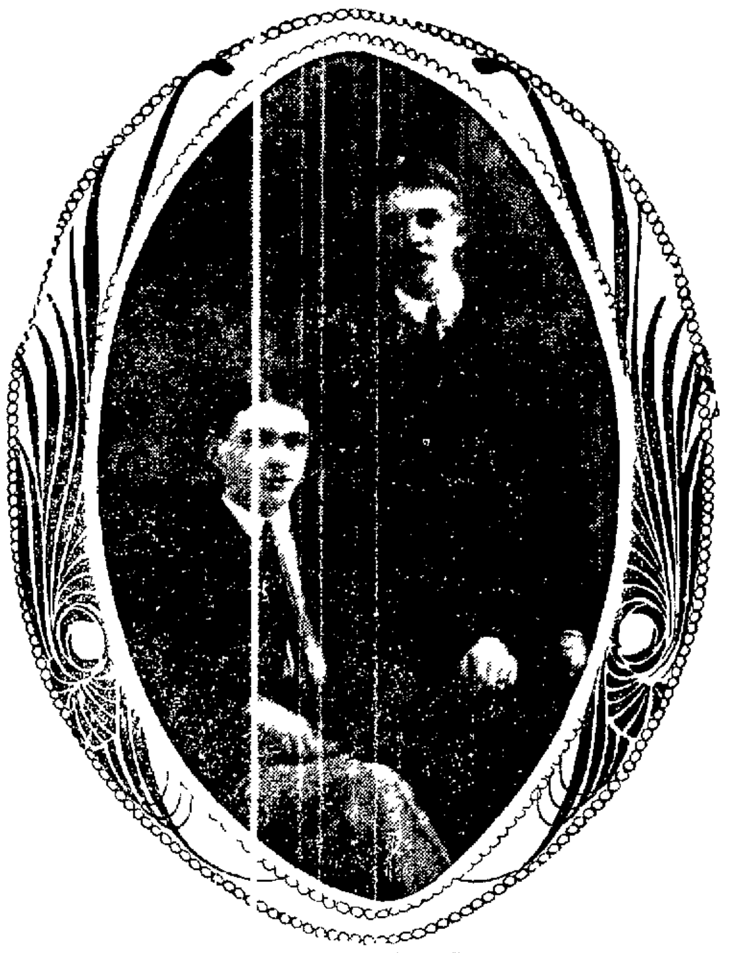
Ready to Roll For Championship Title of County.

Here is a sweeping challenge to all two-man bowling teams in the lightweight class on the Pacific Coast

A E Spegal and J N Berquest of this city considered two of the best bowlers that ever faced the four line on any of the local alleys are out with an offer to roll any two-man lightweight team on the Pacific Coast In default of an acceptance of this challenge, this team will claim the championship of the Pacific Coast.

Both Spegal and Berquest may be seen almost any evening on the Syndicate Alleys and judging from the scores they are making they have a right to contest for the coast championship

They are willing to meet any lightweight team in ten or twenty-five games total pins to count Arrangements for a match may be made by communicating with A E Spegal at 229 San Pablo avenue



A E SPEGAL AND J N BERQUEST, WHO CHALLENGE ANY LIGHTWEIGHT BOWLING TEAM ON THE PACIFIC COAST

HORSEMEN WILL HOLD MATCH RACE

Arrangements are being made by M J Daly, who has his stable at the local track, and G B Morris who has a bunch of speed-burners at Ascot Park Los Angeles to hold a match race at 100 pounds

It is proposed to hold the contest at Ascot during the holidays and to make a side bet that will create unusual interest in the match

Daly will probably be represented by Claude or Elliott while Morris will be satisfied to have High ... carry his money The distance will be once around the circle

HERE'S A FIGHT FOR MARVIN HART.

If Marvin Hart really wants to fight he can have a crack at Billy Woods if he so desires

In a communication received by the sporting editor of THE TRIBUNE to day from Biddy Bishop a match is offered to Hart by Bishop on behalf of Woods

As Hart says he does not draw the color line and is anxious for a fight with anybody including Jeffries there ought not to be any trouble about arranging a battle

Biddy Bishop is also willing to match Woods with Twin Sullivan but as Sullivan has a little date down South this month with Kid McCoy there will probably be nothing doing until that dispute is settled

Dave Barry is expected down from Portland Saturday and Bishop will seek to have him sign articles with Woods for a mill at San Diego provided Hart does not come forward and accept the proffered chance to enter the arena with the colored fighter

PASTOR TO PLAY AT SHORT-STOP.

Much interest is being taken in the coming ball game for charity's sake between Oakland Lodge No 171 and San Francisco Lodge No 3 Benevolent Protective Order of Elks at Idora Park next Saturday afternoon The two teams are equally determined to win and there is no little rivalry of a friendly sort for the championship of Elkdom in this section of the State The game is scheduled to begin at 2 30 p m and that there will be a large and enthusiastic attendance is a foregone conclusion The proceeds will be donated to the fund to provide Christmas dinners for the needy of this city

It is a time-honored custom of the Elks of Oakland to aid in providing Christmas repasts for the poor families of the city and the present scheme has been devised to increase the fund The officers of the two lodges will cross bats and the winners will be entitled to the lodge championship of the new year

A feature of the affair that is worthy of note is the fact that Rev William Carson Shaw chaplain of Oakland Lodge will play shortstop for the home team That a pitchers battle will develop in the course of the game is expected inasmuch as James M Shanley Exalted Ruler of Oakland Lodge who is to twirl for the local aggregation has sworn that no one shall get a run or hit off him while the pitcher of the team from across the bay Exalted Ruler John S Partridge is equally determined

Both lodges are working with all their might to insure a large attendance and from all appearances they will be successful

The teams will line up as follows

San Francisco—Pitcher Exalted Ruler John Partridge catcher Park Wilson first base Inner Guard Harry Wilbur second base Esteemed Lecturing Knight Billy Abbott shortstop Trustee Herman J Co...des left field Esquire James Manning center field Secretary Herman Cohn substitutes James P Dunne Charles F Hoffman John P Broder and George E Hunt, manager Louis Martin Jacobs mascot Clarence W Purrington

Oakland—Pitcher Exalted Ruler James M Shanley (captain) catcher William Dunleavy first base Esteemed Lecturing Knight Oliver C Hutchinson second base Esteemed Leading Knight A E Shaw third base Esteemed Loyal Knight George W Frick shortstop Chaplain William Carson Shaw left field Trustee D W H Halsey center field Esquire Dave McLaughlin right field Secretary J J Hannifin Jr substitutes Inner Guard Fred Johnson Tyler Charles Learn Organist Van E Britton Treasurer W W London and Trustee William Baehr manager Geo Bleihen mascot Peter Lynch

LOU DILLON IS COMING

QUEEN OF TROTTING WORLD WILL WINTER IN CALIFORNIA.

Lou Dillon 1.58 1-2 queen of the trotting turf owned by C K Billings of Chicago and New York will be shipped from the East to this State to the veteran champion-maker Budd Doble who will winter her and prepare her for the 1905 exhibitions

Mr Doble long ago drove Dexter 2.17 1-4, and later Goldsmith Maid 2.14, to world's records and in 1892 gave to Nancy Hanks her low-wheel sulky record of 2.04 which was afterward supplanted by the 2.03 3-4 of Alix

He has been in retirement for some years although in 1903 he raced his young horse, Kinney Lou 2.07 3-4, in the East At the Empire City meeting that year Kinney Lou won a sensational stake event defeating a crack lot of trotters including John Taylor that had won the $10,000 M and M Stake at the Detroit meeting

Presumably it is because Trainer Millard Sanders is under engagement to handle the youngsters from J H Shults big farm at Portchester, all by Axworthy, the star sire of 1904, that Mr Billings changes trainers at this time as Sanders broke and developed the great mare and has always had to do with her fitting and public exhibitions save at the Cleveland matinees and in the two races for the Memphis Cup in which she participated

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AMATEUR FIGHTS TONIGHT

FAST GOES UNDER AUSPICES OF THE OLYMPIC CLUB.

Again will amateur fighters clash tonight under the auspices of the Olympic Club of San Francisco The show tonight will conclude the exhibition of non-professional talent Following is the card

J Roach Olympic Club vs J Carroll Occidental Club 103 pounds

W Johnson unattached vs B Cushman unattached 120 pounds

T Berg unattached vs W Dwyer Olympic Club 124 pounds

J Galghe Hawthorne Club vs T Williams Hawthorne Club 130 pounds

J McCair Olympic Club vs J Sullivan unattached 145 pounds

M Granfield Olympic Club vs P Sullivan unattached 140 pounds

R Lurie Olympic Club vs Tom Bell unattached 138 pounds

H Kaufman Olympic Club vs J Walsh Hawthorne Club heavyweight

S Berger Olympic Club vs F Smith unattached heavy-weight

AN INTER-CITY TOURNEY.

BOWLING CONTEST BETWEEN OAKLAND AND BERKELEY TEAMS.

An inter-city bowling contest that will attract unusual attention on this side of the bay will be played tomorrow night on the Syndicate Alleys on Ninth street between the Piedmonts of Oakland and representatives from Wehl's Alleys in Berkeley

The Berkeley team will consist of the following players William Morris captain T Golden manager Frank Ramos Lester Rogers Joseph Rayes

BASEBALL GAME TOMORROW

BERKELEY 'VARSITY TO PLAY A PICKED TEAM ON CAMPUS.

Although the baseball season has just closed at the University of California Trainer Walter Christie has commenced preparations for early training in baseball The season on the diamond will be commenced tomorrow with a game on the diamond between the Varsity and a picked nine of alumni and candidates for the baseball squad

A similar game will also be played next Saturday at 3 o clock

The Varsity will be composed of the following in the preliminary games

Pitcher Heitmuller catcher Bliss first base Graham second base Gillis third base Gunn short stop Causely left field Newman right field Wulzen center field Sweesy

CARDINAL CLUB WINS.

The Cardinal Club or second eleven of Linda Vista defeated the West Oakland football team at Thirteenth and Jackson streets Saturday on a score of 6 to 0

The touchdown for Linda Vista was made in the second half by Captain Jules Back and the goal was kicked by Wallace O'Connor half back Both teams were about equal in weight

INDEPENDENTS ARE ON TOP.

The results of the three association football games played Sunday makes the league table very interesting The Independents overwhelming victory over the Pickwicks places them at the top of the table and the Rovers win over the Vampires places them in the second position Both teams have the same number of points but the Rovers have played one more game than the Indies The Hornet secured their first brace of points by unexpectedly defeating the Occidentals although dropping two points the club boys are still in a good position to win the championship as they are only two points behind the leaders and have played one game less.

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NEW GAME FOR BERKELEY

ATTEMPT BEING MADE TO PLAY ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL.

Several enthusiastic association football players are endeavoring to get that game started at the University of California ... evening during the past week a number of players have lined up on the football field and practiced at kicking the ball and running it up and down the field against opposing line up

Those who are taking the ... interest in ... the game ... Olcott ... Geary ... It will be remembered that two years ago President Wheeler ... of the fastest ... a match ... At that time ... to ... It is ... to secure ... men who wish to ... out ... as possible ... the half ... and ... be ... to organize into class teams when the ... Several games will ... be ... in the spring

Besides being a ... sport in itself ... men who expect to do track work especially in the distances ... the constant running in the game develops the lung powers and the endurance of the runner

JOCKEY CLUB'S OFFICERS.

There was a meeting of the Pacific Jockey Club held yesterday afternoon The following officers were elected Thomas H Williams president Dan Burns vice president ... Andrews treasurer Percy W Treat secretary and H ... Egbert assistant secretary This is the same set of officers as directed the affairs of the organization last term

FOR TWENTY YEARS

Not an Unusual Instance.

I used Pyramid Pile Cure and have not had any trouble since I have been a sufferer with piles for twenty years I think it is the best remedy on earth for piles Hoping this may help others to use this remedy Mrs J D Teller R F D 20 Sparta, Michigan

It is a singular fact that although many women suffer from piles or hemorrhoids they frequently do not receive proper treatment because of a delicacy women have in mentioning such a subject Especially is this the case with those who have no husband or brother in whom they can confide and a physician is seldom consulted until the pain and agony incident to piles becomes unbearable

Thousands of women have suffered even longer than did Mrs Teller always experiencing slight or temporary relief if any from the various remedies used and finally settling down to the conviction that a cure in their cases was impossible Pyramid Pile Cure has come as a boon to all such as it seldom if ever fails to effect a permanent cure It is sold by druggists for fifty cents a package or will be mailed by the makers to any address, upon receipt of price Absolute secrecy is guaranteed and no name is ever used without the consent of the writer

It is suggested that those interested write to Pyramid Drug Company, Marshall, Michigan, for their little book describing the causes and cure of piles, as it is sent free for the asking.

WALTER JENNINGS IN LEAD

HAS SECURED THE RAIL ON DALY IN LIST OF PURSES.

Walter Jennings now has a good lead over M J Daly in the list of winning owners Jennings has thus far earned $1305 through his stable while Daly has $3030 to his credit Quite handy to have in the old stocking about Christmas time T G Ferguson has won $1150 Wally Brinkworth has stacked up $615 and P Ryan has obtained $775 The last on the list is S Polk who has won $175

DAVIS HEADS JOCKEYS

HAS BEEN INSIDE THE MONEY MORE THAN ANY OTHER LAD.

Out of seventy-eight starts thus far this meet Jockey Davis has been first twenty-three times second sixteen times and third fourteen times Willie has failed to get inside the money twenty-five times

Then comes Jockey Knapp who has won seventeen races out of eighty-four starts He has finished second eleven times and third ten times He has ridden outsiders forty-six times

With sixty-one starts Helgeson has finished first ten times second nine times and third three times Sullivan Sheehan Dominick, Kunz Anderson, Michaels Holbrook Fitzpatrick Herbert and the rest of the bunch ch... string along

HILDEBRAND IS INJURED.

THROWN FROM HIS MOUNT AND IS OUT FOR A WEEK.

Jockey Hildebrand was injured, but not seriously at Ascot yesterday In the first race his mount Hachmeister, crossed his legs and fell shortly after the start throwing Hildebrand to the turf He will be unable to ride for about a week The horse's neck was broken and he died within a few minutes

TEA

The cost of a cup of good tea is about three-tenths of a cent.

In every package of Schilling's Best Tea is a booklet: How To Make Good Tea.

JOHNSON MATCHED WITH BENNETT.

Biddy Bishop has matched Bobby Johnson and Jockey Bennett for a battle at Stockton on the evening of December 19th The lads are to weigh in at 118 pounds Bennett is doing his preparatory work at the Golden Gate hotel in this city

Bobby Johnson and Jockey Bennett ought to furnish a good mill and one will worth taking a trip down to the Slough City to witness Since Bishop has taken Johnson under his management the little ... has ... rapidly and before long he will be in the first division

At the present time Johnson is the best ... in the featherweight class and his victory over Monte Attell shows that he is able to hold his own with any of them Attell has defeated Regan who is considered good in the ... Johnson ... up well on the rail

PADDOCK PARAGRAPHS.

Four long shots played only by a few take-a-chance bettors were first to cop the long end of the purse at the local track yesterday They were The Lieutenant 30 to 1 Gilly Cassie 20 to 1 Vaughan 20 to 1 and Follow Me 15 to 1

And one of the strange features of the arrival of the long priced horses is the fact that Jockeys Michaels and Knapp rode two apiece

In the fourth race Andrew B Cook was handed out as the best-bet-of-the-day Garnet Ferguson's colt The Mighty, however took a fall out of of Andrew B, due largely to the nice handling of Jockey Helgeson

The lone winning favorite yesterday was Byrondale Jockey Davis handled him with fine judgment

Jockey Travers had his first mount of the season here on Saturday but did not ride up to his ... form

Frank Ebert has arrived here and will be up with his slate next cut in ...

The Mighty now has eight straight wins ... Not a bad horse for Ferguson to own

Jockey Russell who has been riding in Australia had a mount on Colonel Anderson in the last race yesterday

The Broadway Club is to cut in on next winning ...

Herl Dixie was claimed yesterday for $525 by I Wright

JOCKEYS HOME AGAIN

WINNIE O'CONNOR AND TOMMY MEADE RETURN FROM EUROPE

Jockeys Winnie O'Connor and Tommy Meade have arrived in New York from Europe Both had a good season across the pond and bring lots of gossip from the Old World tracks

O Connor left this country on February 19 Out of 300 mounts in France he held sixty-two winning reins He has a contract for next year for $15,000 with Baron Shickler another equally as good with Count St Alary and his outside mounts he expects will net him $7000 more

He will also ride for two years for Baron de Clair The tracks upon which he will ride are in Paris and its environs

In purses O Connor won this season $120,000 He was fourth among the jockeys on the French tracks

I have had the best season abroad that I have ever had said O Connor and I am greatly pleased at my treatment I shall never again ride a season in America I was beaten a nose for the Grand Prix

Tommy Meade guided home forty-five winners out of 180 mounts He rode in Germany for Captain Dawes of Berlin I have an offer for a two years contract in Germany but have not decided if I shall accept it said Meade All the American boys in Europe did fine

Georgie Stern the leading French jockey rode 120 winners including three Derbys He rides for Baron Blanc Flying Fox's get is the best I ever saw

'Little Spencer who used to ride for Mr Keene did well guiding horses for M Cailleut Dick Waugh has been engaged to ride next summer in Italy He will be the only American jockey in Italy He will ride for the stables known as the Sarolla Stables for which Johnny Reiff's brother is trainer Waugh this season rode for Mr Pfizer in France

I am going to New Orleans continued Meade where the riding is as different from that in Germany as night is from day

Both O Connor and Meade are going to Bennings first O Connor said Meade rode better this year than ever before

HIGH BOWLING SCORES.

Following were the high scores made yesterday on the Syndicate Alleys L Swenson 224 O J Smith 210 Joe Donohue 225 Fred Kims 21. A E Spegal 214 211 and 212 and E Diegel ...

BOWLING TOURNEY TONIGHT.

Another match in the Palace Tournament will be bowled this evening on the Palace Bowling Alleys The Palace team will meet the Broadways and an interesting game is anticipated The tourney is to hold the interest of the bowlers and will no doubt prove the attraction of the winter

On the Palace Alleys last evening W Reeves made some good scores as follows 238-202-197-176 Mr Reeves is a member of the Eagle team entered in the bowling tournament.

ROOT IS GIVEN DECISION.

AWARDED FIGHT WITH JOHN WILLE BECAUSE OF FOULS.

Jack Root was given the decision over John Wille in the fifth round of their battle at Chicago last evening after Wille had repeatedly hit his opponent too low

The bout up to the time the decision was given was a one sided affair Root being the cleverer of the two while Wille was slow ...

PIEDMONTS WIN MATCH.

TAKE BOWLING GAME AWAY FROM HEESEMANS BY 104 PINS.

A match bowling game was rolled last Monday evening on the Syndicate Alleys between the Heesemans and the Piedmonts two crack teams of this county The match resulted in a win for the Piedmonts by a total of 104 pins Following is the complete score

	1st	2d	3d
Piedmonts—			
Joe Donohue	1..	—	.2.
Stanley Padgett	.1	13.	—
... Doig		1.3	174
... M ...	.06	1.7	110
B McC...	..8	1.3	1.5
Dr A W Merrill	197	1.7	114
	...	8..	868 2705
Heesemans			
F ...in	20.	169	21.
I G Parke	1..	161	135
B M Shaw	...	1..	.04
L Swenson	1.1	1..	148
A L Spegal	143	211	170
	871	8.1	86. 2601

Worst of All Experiences

Can anything be worse than to feel that every minute will be your last? Such was the experience of Mrs S H Newson Decatur Ala For three years she writes I endured insufferable pain from indigestion stomach and bowel trouble Death seemed inevitable when doctors and all remedies failed At length I was induced to try Electric Bitters and the result was miraculous I improved at once and now I'm completely recovered For Liver Kidney Stomach and Bowel troubles Electric Bitters is the only medicine Only 50c It's guaranteed by Osgood Bros Druggists Seventh and Broadway and 1... and Washington

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PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT'S MESSAGE TO CONGRESS

Mob Rule Should Not be Tolerated--Investigation of Corporations Suggested--The Growing Importance of the Orient--Naturalization Laws Should Be Revised--Arbitration is Discussed--Our Foreign Policy--The Army and Navy.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—President Roosevelt's message was read in both houses of Congress today as follows.

"To the Senate and House of Representatives. The Nation continues to enjoy noteworthy prosperity. Such prosperity is of course primarily due to the high individual average of our citizenship, taken together with our great national resources, but an important factor therein is the working of our long-continued governmental policies. The people have emphatically expressed their approval of the principles underlying these policies, and their desire that these principles be kept substantially unchanged, although of course applied in a progressive spirit to meet changing conditions.

CAUTION AGAINST EXTRAVAGANCE.

"The enlargement of scope of the functions of the National Government required by our development as a nation involves, of course, increase of expense, and the period of prosperity through which the country is passing justifies expenditures for permanent improvements far greater than would be wise in hard times. Battleships and forts, public buildings, and improved waterways are investments which should be made when we have the money; but abundant revenues and a large surplus always invite extravagance, and constant care should be taken to guard against unnecessary increase of the ordinary expenses of government. The cost of doing Government business should be regulated with the same rigid scrutiny as the cost of doing a private business.

CAPITAL AND LABOR.

"In the vast and complicated mechanism of our modern civilized life the dominant note is the note of industrialism; and the relations of capital and labor, and especially of organized capital and organized labor, to each other and to the public at large come second in importance only to the intimate questions of family life. Our peculiar form of government, with its sharp division of authority between the Nation and the several States has been on the whole far more advantageous to our development than a more strongly centralized government. But it is undoubtedly responsible for much of the difficulty of meeting with adequate legislation the new problems presented by the total change in industrial conditions on this continent during the last half century. In actual practice it has proved exceedingly difficult, and in many cases impossible, to get unanimity of wise action among the various States on these subjects. From the very nature of the case this is especially true of the laws affecting the employment of capital in huge masses.

"With regard to labor the problem is no less important, but it is simpler. As long as the States retain the primary control of the police power the circumstances must be altogether extreme which require interference by the Federal authorities, whether in the way of safeguarding the rights of labor or in the way of seeing that wrong is not done by unruly persons who shield themselves behind the name of labor. If there is resistance to the Federal courts, interference with the mails, or interstate commerce, or molestation of Federal property, or if the State authorities in some crisis which they are unable to face call for help, then the Federal Government may interfere, but though such interference may be caused by a condition of things arising out of trouble connected with some question of labor, the interference itself simply takes the form of restoring order without regard to the questions which have caused the breach of order—for to keep order is a primary duty and in a time of disorder and violence all other questions sink into abeyance until order has been restored. In the District of Columbia and in the Territories the Federal law covers the entire field of government; but the labor question is only acute in populous centers of commerce, manufactures or mining. Nevertheless, both in the enactment and in the enforcement of law the Federal Government within its restricted sphere should set an example to the State governments especially in a matter so vital as this affecting labor. I believe that under modern industrial conditions it is often necessary, and everywhere not necessary, it is yet often wise, that there should be organization of labor in order better to secure the rights of the individual wage-worker. All encouragement should be given to any such organization, so long as it is conducted with a due and decent regard for the rights of others. There are in this country some labor unions which have habitually, and other labor unions which have often, been among the most effective agents in working for good citizenship and for uplifting the condition of those whose welfare should be closest to our hearts. But when any labor union seeks improper ends, or seeks to achieve proper ends by improper means, all good citizens and more especially all honorable public servants must oppose the wrongdoing as resolutely as they would oppose the wrongdoing of any great corporation. Of course any violence, brutality, or corruption, should not for one moment be tolerated. Wage-workers have an entire right to organize and by all peaceful and honorable means to endeavor to persuade their fellows to join with them in organizations. They have a legal right, which, according to circumstances, may or may not be a moral right, to refuse to work in company with men who decline to join their organizations. They have under no circumstances the right to commit violence upon those, whether capitalists or wage-workers, who refuse to support their organizations, or who side with those with whom they are at odds; for mob rule is intolerable in any form.

EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY LAW.

"The wage-workers are peculiarly entitled to the protection and the encouragement of the law. From the very nature of their occupation railroad men, for instance, are liable to be maimed in doing the legitimate work of their profession, unless the railroad companies are required by law to make ample provision for their safety. The Administration has been zealous in enforcing the existing law for this purpose. That law should be amended and strengthened. Wherever the National Government has power there should be a stringent employers' liability law, which should apply to the Government itself where the Government is an employer of labor.

"In my Message to the Fifty-seventh Congress, at its second session, I urged the passage of an employer's liability law for the District of Columbia. I now renew that recommendation, and further recommend that the Congress appoint a commission to make a comprehensive study of employer's liability with the view of extending the provisions of a great and constitutional law to all employments within the scope of Federal power.

MEDALS OF HONOR.

"The Government has recognized heroism upon the water, and bestows medals of honor upon those persons who by extreme and heroic daring have endangered their lives in saving, or endeavoring to save, lives from the perils of the sea in the waters over which the United States has jurisdiction, or upon an American vessel. This recognition should be extended to cover cases of conspicuous bravery and self-sacrifice in the saving of life in private employments under the jurisdiction of the United States, and particularly in the land commerce of the Nation.

PREVENTION OF RAILROAD ACCIDENTS.

"The ever-increasing casualty list upon our railroads is a matter of grave public concern, and urgently calls for action by the Congress. In the matter of speed and comfort of railway travel our railroads give at least as good service as those of any other nation, and there is no reason why this service should not also be as safe as human ingenuity can make it. Many of our leading roads have been foremost in the adoption of the most approved safeguards for the protection of travelers and employes, yet the list of clearly avoidable accidents continues unduly large. The passage of a law requiring the adoption of a block-signal system has been proposed to the Congress. I earnestly concur in that recommendation, and would also point out to the Congress the urgent need of legislation in the interest of the public safety limiting the hours of labor for railroad employes in train service upon railroads engaged in interstate commerce, and providing that only trained and experienced persons be employed in positions of responsibility connected with the operation of trains. Of course nothing can ever prevent accidents caused by human weakness, or misconduct; and there should be drastic punishment for any railroad employe whether officer or man, who by issuance of wrong orders or by disobedience of orders cause disaster. The law of 1901 requiring interstate railroads to make monthly reports of all accidents to passengers and employes on duty, should also be amended so as to empower the Government to make a personal investigation, through proper officials of all accidents involving loss of life which seem to require investigation, with a requirement that the results of such investigation be made public.

"The safety-appliance law, as amended by the act of March 2, 1903, has proved beneficial to railway employes, and in order that its provisions may be properly carried out, the force of inspectors provided for by appropriation should be largely increased. This service is analogous to the Steamboat-Inspection Service, and deals with even more important interests. It has passed the experimental stage and demonstrated its utility and should receive generous recognition by the Congress.

"There is no objection to employes of the Government forming or belonging to unions; but the Government can neither discriminate for nor discriminate against non-union men who are in its employment or who seek to be employed under it. Moreover, it is a very grave impropriety for Government employes to band themselves together for the purpose of extorting improperly high salaries from the Government. Especially is this true of those within the classified service. The letter carriers, both municipal and rural, are as a whole an excellent body of public servants.

UNIONS OF GOVERNMENT EMPLOYES.

"They should be amply paid. But their payment must be obtained by arguing their claims fairly and honorably before the Congress, and not by banding together for the defeat of those Congressmen who refuse to give promises which they can not in conscience give. The Administration has already taken steps to prevent and punish abuses of this nature; but it will be wise for the Congress to supplement this action by legislation.

BUREAU OF LABOR.

"Much can be done by the Government in labor matters merely by giving publicity to certain conditions. The Bureau of Labor has done excellent work of this kind in many different directions.

"I shall shortly lay before you in a special message the full report of the investigation of the Bureau of Labor into the Colorado mining strike, as this is a strike in which certain very evil forces, which are more or less at work everywhere under the conditions of modern industrialism, became startlingly prominent. It is greatly to be wished that the Department of Commerce and Labor, through the Labor Bureau, should compile and arrange for the Congress a list of the labor laws of the various States, and should be given the means to investigate and report to the Congress upon the labor conditions in the manufacturing and mining regions throughout the country, both as to wages, as to hours of labor, as to the labor of women and children, and as to the effect in the various labor centers of immigration from abroad. In this investigation especial attention should be paid to the conditions of child labor and child-labor legislation in the several States. Such an investigation must necessarily take into account many of the problems with which this question of child labor is connected. These problems can be actually met, in most cases, only by the States themselves, but the lack of proper legislation in one State in such a matter as child labor often renders it excessively difficult to establish protective restriction upon the work in another State having the same industries, so that the worst tends to drag down the better. For this reason, it would be well for the Nation at least to endeavor to secure comprehensive information as to the conditions of labor of children in the different States. Such investigation and publication by the National Government would tend toward the securing of approximately uniform legislation of the proper character among the several States.

CORPORATIONS.

"When we come to deal with great corporations the need for the Government to act directly is far greater than in the case of labor, because great corporations can become such only by engaging in interstate commerce and interstate commerce is peculiarly the field of the General Government. It is an absurdity to expect to eliminate the abuses in great corporations by State action. It is difficult to be patient with an argument that such matters should be left to the States, because more than one State pursues the policy of creating on easy terms corporations which are never operated within that State at all, but in other States whose laws they ignore. The National Government alone can deal adequately with these great corporations. To try to deal with them in an intemperate, destructive, or demagogic spirit would, in all probability, mean that nothing whatever would be accomplished, and, with absolute certainty, that if anything were accomplished it would be of a harmful nature. The American people need to continue to show the very qualities that they have shown—that is, moderation, good sense, the earnest desire to avoid doing any damage, and yet the quiet determination to proceed, step by step, without halt and without hurry, in eliminating or at least in minimizing whatever of mischief or of evil there is to interstate commerce in the conduct of great corporations. They are acting in no spirit of hostility to wealth, either individual or corporate. They are not against the rich man any more than against the poor man. On the contrary, they are friendly alike toward rich man and toward poor man, provided only that each acts in a spirit of justice and decency toward his fellows. Great corporations are necessary, and only men of great and singular mental power can manage such corporations successfully, and such men must have great rewards. But these corporations should be managed with due regard to the interest of the public as a whole. Where this can be done under the present laws it must be done. Where these laws come short others should be enacted to supplement them.

"Yet we must never forget the determining factor in every kind of work of head or hand, must be the man's own good sense, courage, and kindness. More important than any legislation is the gradual growth of a feeling of responsibility and forbearance among capitalists and wage-workers alike, a feeling of respect on the part of each man for the rights of others; a feeling of broad community of interest, not merely of capitalists among themselves, and of wage-workers among themselves, but of capitalists and wage-workers in their relations to each other, and of both in their relations to their fellows who with them make up the body politic. There are many captains of industry, many labor leaders, who realize this. A recent speech by the president of one of our great railroad systems to the employes of that system contains sound common sense. It runs in part as follows:

"'It is my belief we can better serve each other, better understand the man as well as his business, when meeting face to face, exchanging views, and realizing from personal contact we serve but one interest, that of our mutual prosperity.

"'Serious misunderstandings can not occur where personal good will exists and opportunity for personal explanation is present.

"'In my early business life I had experience with men of affairs of a character to make me desire to avoid creating a like feeling of resentment to myself and the interests in my charge, should fortune ever place me in authority, and I am solicitous of a measure of confidence on the part of the public and our employes that I shall hope may be warranted by the fairness and goodfellowship I intend shall prevail in our relationship.

"'But do not feel I am disposed to grant unreasonable requests, spend the money of our company unnecessarily or without value received, nor expect the days of mistakes are disappearing, or that cause for complaint will not continually occur; simply to correct such abuses as may be discovered, to better conditions as fast as reasonably may be expected, constantly striving, with varying success for that improvement we all desire, to convince you there is a force at work in the right direction, all the time making progress—is the disposition with which I have come among you, asking your good will and encouragement.

"'The day has gone by when a corporation can be handled successfully in defiance of the public will, even though that will be unreasonable and wrong. A public may be led, but not driven, and I prefer to go with it and shape or modify, in a measure, its opinion, rather than be swept from my bearings, with loss to myself and the interests in my charge.

"'Violent prejudice exists towards corporate activity and capital today, much of it founded in reason, more in apprehension, and a large measure is due to the personal traits of arbitrary, unreasonable, incompetent, and offensive men in positions of authority. The accomplishment of results by indirection, the endeavor to thwart the intention, if not the expressed letter of the law (the will of the people), a disregard of the rights of others, a disposition to withhold what is due, to force by main strength, or inactivity, a result not justified, depending upon the weakness of the claimant and his indisposition to become involved in litigation, has created a sentiment harmful in the extreme and a disposition to consider anything fair that gives gain to the individual at the expense of the company.

"'If corporations are to continue to do the world's work, as they are best fitted to, these qualities in their representatives that have resulted in the present prejudice against them must be relegated to the background. The corporations must come out into the open and see and be seen. They must take the public into their confidence and ask for what they want, and no more, and be prepared to explain satisfactorily what advantage will accrue to the public if they are given their desires; for they are permitted to exist not that they make money solely, but that they may effectively serve those from whom they derive their power.

"'Publicity, and not secrecy, will win hereafter, and laws be construed by their intent and not by their letter, otherwise public utilities will be owned and operated by the public which created them, even though the service be less efficient and the result less satisfactory from a financial standpoint.'

"The Bureau of Corporations has made careful preliminary investigation of many important corporations. It will make a special report on the beef industry.

BUREAU OF CORPORATIONS.

"The policy of the Bureau is to accomplish the purpose of its creation by cooperation, not antagonism; by making constructive legislation, not destructive prosecution, the immediate object of its inquiries; by conservative investigation of law and fact, and by refusal to issue incomplete and hence necessarily inaccurate reports. Its policy being thus one of open inquiry into, and not attack upon, business, the Bureau has been able to gain not only the confidence, but, better still, the cooperation of men engaged in legitimate business.

"The Bureau offers to the Congress the means of getting at the cost of production of our various great staples of commerce.

"Of necessity the careful investigation of special corporations will afford the Commissioner knowledge of certain business facts, the publication of which might be an improper infringement of private rights. The method of making public the results of these investigations affords, under the law, a means for the protection of private rights. The Congress will have all facts except such as would give to another corporation information which would injure the legitimate business of a competitor and destroy the incentive for individual superiority and thrift.

"The Bureau has also made exhaustive examinations into the legal condition under which corporate business is carried on in the various States; into all judicial decisions on the subject; and into the various systems of corporate taxation in use. I call special attention to the report of the chief of the Bureau; and I earnestly ask that the Congress carefully consider the report and recommendations of the Commissioner on this subject.

INSURANCE.

"The business of insurance vitally affects the great mass of the people of the United States and is national and not local in its application. I involves a multitude of transactions among the people of the different States and between American companies and foreign governments. I urge that the Congress carefully consider whether the power of the Bureau of Corporations can not constitutionally be extended to cover interstate transactions in insurance.

REBATES.

"Above all else, we must strive to keep the highways of commerce open to all on equal terms; and to do this it is necessary to put a complete stop to all rebates. Whether the shipper or the railroad is to blame makes no difference; the rebate must be stopped, the abuses of the private car and private terminal track and side-track systems must be sopped, and the legislation of the Fifty-eighth Congress which declares it to be unlawful for any person or corporation to offer, grant, give, solicit, accept, or receive any rebate, concession, or discrimination in respect of the transportation of any property in interstate or foreign commerce whereby such property shall by any device whatever be transported at a less rate than that named in the tariffs published by the carrier must be enforced. For some time after the enactment of the Act to Regulate Commerce it remained a mooted question whether that act conferred upon the Interstate Commerce Commission the power, after it had found a challenged rate to be unreasonable, to declare what thereafter should, prima facie, be the reasonable maximum rate for the transportation in dispute. The Supreme Court finally resolved that question in the negative, so that as the law now stands the Commission simply possess the bare power to denounce a particular rate as unreasonable. While I am of the opinion that at present it would be undesirable, if it were not impracticable, finally to clothe the Commission with general authority to fix railroad rates, I do believe that, as a fair security to shippers, the Commission should be vested with the power, where a given rate has been challenged and after full hearing found to be unreasonable, to decide, subject to judicial review, what shall be a reasonable rate to take its place; the ruling of the Commission to take effect immediately, and to obtain unless and until it is reversed by the court of review. The Government must in increasing degree supervise and regulate the workings of the railways engaged in interstate commerce; and such increased supervision is the only alternative to an increase of the present evils on the one hand or a still more radical policy on the other. In my judgment the most important legislative act now needed as regards the regulation of corporations is this act to confer on the Interstate Commerce Commission the power to revise rates and regulations, the revised rate to at once go into effect, and to stay in effect unless and until the court of review reverses it.

"Steamship companies engaged in interstate commerce and protected in our coastwise trade, should be held to a strict observance of the interstate commerce act.

CITY OF WASHINGTON.

"In pursuing the set plan to make the city of Washington an example to other American municipalities several points should be kept in mind by the legislators. In the first place, the people of this country should clearly understand that no amount of industrial prosperity, and above all no leadership in international industrial competition, can in any way atone for the sapping of the vitality of those who are usually spoken of as the working classes. The farmers, the mechanics, the skilled and unskilled laborers, the small shop keepers, make up the bulk of the population of any country; and upon their well-being, generation after generation, the well-being of the country and the race depends. Rapid development in wealth and industrial leadership is a good thing, but only if it goes hand in hand with improvement, and not deterioration, physical and moral. The overcrowding of cities and the draining of country districts are unhealthy and even dangerous symptoms in our modern life. We should not permit overcrowding in cities. In certain European cities it is provided by law that the population of towns shall not be allowed to exceed a very limited density for a given area, so that the increase in density must be continually pushed back into a broad zone around the center of the town, this zone having great avenues or parks within it. The death-rate statistics show a terrible increase in mortality, and especially in infant mortality, in overcrowded tenements. The poorest families in tenement houses live in one room, and it appears in these one-room tenements the average death rate for a number of given cities at home and abroad is about twice what it is in a two-room tenement, four times what it is in a three-room tenement, and eight times what it is in a tenement consisting of four rooms or over. These figures vary somewhat for different cities, but they approximate in each city those given above; and in all cases the increase of mortality, and especially of infant mortality, with the decrease in the number of rooms used by the family and with the consequent overcrowding is startling. The slum exacts a heavy toll of death from those who dwell therein; and this is the case not merely in the great crowded slums of high buildings in New York and Chicago but in the alleys and slums of Washington. In Washington people can not afford to ignore the harm that this causes. No Christian and civilized community can afford to show a happy-go-lucky lack of concern for the youth of today; for, if so, the community will have to pay a terrible penalty of financial burden and social degradation in the tomorrow. There should be severe child-labor and factory-inspection laws. It is very desirable that married women should not work in factories. The prime duty of the man is to work, to be the breadwinner; the prime duty of the woman is to be the mother, the housewife. All questions of tariff and finance sink into utter insignificance when compared with the tremendous, the vital importance of trying to shape conditions so that these two duties of the man and of the woman can be fulfilled under reasonably favorable circumstances. If a race does not have plenty of children, or if the children do not grow up, or if when they grow up they are unhealthy in body and stunted or vicious in mind, then that race is decadent, and no heaping up of wealth, no splendor of momentary material prosperity, can avail in any degree as offsets.

"The Congress has the same power of legislation for the District of Columbia which the State legislatures have for the various States. The problems incident to our highly complex modern industrial civilization, with its manifold and perplexing tendencies both for good and for evil, are far less sharply accentuated in the city of Washington than in most other cities. For this very reason it is easier to deal with the various phases of these problems in Washington, and the District of Columbia government should be a model for the other municipal governments of the Nation, in all such matters as supervision of the housing of the poor, the creation of small parks in the districts inhabited by the poor, in laws affecting labor, in laws providing for the taking care of the children, in truant laws, and in providing schools.

"In the vital matter of taking care of children, much advantage could be gained by a careful study of what has been accomplished in such States as Illinois and Colorado by the juvenile courts. The work of the juvenile court is really a work of character building. It is now generally recognized that young boys and young girls who go wrong should not be treated as criminals, not even necessarily as needing reformation, but rather as needing to have their characters formed, and for this end to have them tested and developed by a system of probation. Much admirable work has been done in many of our Commonwealths by earnest men and women who have made a special study of the needs of those classes of children which furnish the greatest number of juvenile offenders, and therefore the greatest number of adult offenders; and by their aid, and by profiting by the experiences of the different States and cities in these matters, it would be easy to provide a good code for the District of Columbia.

"Several considerations suggest the need for a systematic investigation into and improvement of housing conditions in Washington. The hidden residential alleys are breeding grounds of vice and disease, and should be opened into minor streets. For a number of years influential citizens have joined with the District Commissioners in the vain endeavor to secure laws permitting the condemnation of insanitary dwellings. The local death rates, especially from preventable diseases, are so unduly high as to suggest that the exceptional wholesomeness of Washington's better sections is offset by bad conditions in her poorer neighborhoods. A special Commission on Housing and Health Conditions in the National Capital would not only bring about the reformation of existing evils, but would also formulate an appropriate building code to protest the city from mammoth brick tenements and other evils which threaten to develop here as they have in other cities. That the Nation's Capital should be made a model for other municipalities is an ideal which appeals to all patriotic citizens everywhere, and such a special Commission might map out and organize the city's future development in lines of civic social service, just as Major L'Enfant and the recent Park Commission planned the arrangement of her streets and parks.

"It is mortifying to remember that Washington has no compulsory school attendance law and that careful inquiries indicate the habitual absence from school of some twenty per cent of all children between the ages of eight and fourteen. It must be evident to all who consider the problems of neglected child life or the benefits of compulsory education in other cities that one of the most urgent needs of the National Capital is a law requiring the school attendance of all children, this law to be enforced by attendance agents directed by the board of education.

"Public play grounds are necessary means for the development of wholesome citizenship in modern cities. It is important that the work inaugurated here through voluntary efforts should be taken up and extended through Congressional appropriation of funds sufficient to equip and maintain numerous convenient small play grounds upon land which can be secured without purchase or rental. It is also desirable that small vacant places be purchased and reserved as small-park play grounds in densely settled sections of the city which now have no public open spaces and are destined soon to be built up solidly. All these needs should be met immediately. To meet them would entail expenses; but a corresponding saving could be made by stopping the building of streets and levelling of ground for purposes largely speculative in outlying parts of the city.

"There are certain offenders, whose criminality takes the shape of brutality and cruelty towards the weak, who need a special type of punishment. The wife-beater, for example, is inadequately punished by imprisonment; for imprisonment may often mean nothing to him, while it may cause hunger and want to the wife and children who have been the victims of his brutality. Probably some form of corporal punishment would be the most adequate way of meeting this kind of crime.

AGRICULTURE.

"The Department of Agriculture has grown into an educational institution with a faculty of two thousand specialists making research into all the sciences of production. The Congress appropriates, directly and indirectly, six millions of dollars annually to carry on this work. It reaches every State and Territory in the Union and the islands of the sea lately come under our flag. Cooperation is had with the State experiment stations, and with many other institutions and individuals. The world is carefully searched for new varieties of grains, fruits, grasses, vegetables, trees, and shrubs, suitable to various localities in our country; and marked benefit to our producers has resulted.

"The activities of our age in lines of research have reached the tillers of the soil and inspired them with ambition to know more of the principles that govern the forces of nature with which they have to deal. Nearly half of the people of this country devote their energies to growing things from the soil. Until a recent date little has been done to prepare these millions for their life work. In most lines of human activity college-trained men are the leaders. The farmer had no opportunity for special training until the Congress made provision for it forty years ago. During these years progress has been made and teachers have been prepared. Over five thousand students are in attendance at our State agricultural colleges. The Federal Government expends ten millions of dollars annually toward this education and for research in Washington and in the several States and Territories. The Department of Agriculture has given facilities for post-graduate work to five hundred young men during the last sever years, preparing them for advanced lines of work in the Department and in the State institutions.

"The facts concerning meteorology and its relations to plant and animal life are being systematically inquired into. Temperature and moisture are controlling factors in all agricultural operations. The seasons of the cyclones of the Caribbean Sea and their paths are being forecasted with increasing accuracy. The cold winds that come from the north are anticipated and their times and intensity told to farmers, gardeners, and fruiterers in all southern localities.

"We sell two hundred and fifty million dollars' worth of animals and animal products to foreign countries every year, in addition to supplying our own people more cheaply and abundantly than any other nation is able to provide for its people. Successful manufacturing depends primarily on cheap food, which accounts to a considerable extent for our growth in this direction. The Department of Agriculture, by careful inspection of meats guards the health of our people and gives clean bills of health to deserving exports, it is prepared to deal promptly with imported diseases of animals, and maintain the excellence of our flocks and herds in this respect. There should be an annual census of the live stock of the Nation.

"We sell abroad about six hundred million dollars' worth of plants and their products every year. Strenuous efforts are being made to import from foreign countries such grains as are suitable to our various localities. Seven years ago we bought three-fourths of our rice; by helping the rice growers on the Gulf coast to secure seeds from the Orient suited to their conditions, and by giving them adequate protection, they now supply home demand and export to the islands of the Caribbean Sea and to other rice-growing countries. Wheat and other grains have been imported from light-rainfall countries to our land in the West and Southwest that have not grown crops because of light precipitation, resulting in an extensive addition to our cropping area and our home-making territory that can not be irrigated. Ten million bushels of first-class macaroni wheat were grown from these experimental importations last year. Fruits suitable to our soils and climates are being imported from all the countries of the Old World—the fig from Turkey, the almond from Spain, the date from Algeria, the mango from India. We are helping our fruit growers to get their crops into European markets by studying methods of preservation through refrigeration, packing, and handling, which have been quite successful. We are helping our hop growers by importing varieties that ripen earlier and later than the kinds they have been raising, thereby lengthening the harvest season. The cotton crop of the country is threatened with root rot, the bollworm, and the boll weevil. Our pathologists will find immune varieties that will resist the root disease, and the bollworm can be dealt with, but the boll weevil is a serious menace to the cotton crop. It is a Central American insect that has become acclimated in Texas and has done great damage. A scientist of the Department of Agriculture has found the weevil at home in Guatemala being kept in check by an ant, which has been brought to our cotton fields for observation. It is hoped that it may serve a good purpose.

THE SOILS.

"The soils of the country are getting attention from the farmer's standpoint and interesting results are following. We have duplicates of the soils that grow the wrapper tobacco in Sumatra and the filler tobacco in Cuba. It will be only a question of time when the large amounts paid to these countries will be paid to our own people. The reclamation of alkali lands is progressing, to give object lessons to our people in methods by which worthless lands may be made productive.

"The insect friends and enemies of the farmer are getting attention. The enemy of the San Jose scale was found near the Great Wall of China, and is now cleaning up all our orchards. The fig-fertilizing insect imported from Turkey has helped to establish an industry in California that amounts to from fifty to one hundred tons of dried figs annually, and is extending over the Pacific coast. A parasitic fly from South Africa is keeping in subjection the black scale, the worst pest of the orange and lemon industry in California.

"Careful preliminary work is being done towards producing our own silk. The mulberry is being distributed in large numbers, eggs are being imported and distributed, improved reels were imported from Europe last year, and two expert reelers were brought to Washington to reel the crop of cocoons and teach the art to our own people.

"The crop-reporting system of the Department of Agriculture is being brought closer to accuracy every year. It has two hundred and fifty thousand reporters selected from people in eight vocations in life. It has arrangements with most European countries for interchange of estimates, so that our people may know as nearly as possible with what they must compete.

IRRIGATION.

"During the two and a half years that have elapsed since the passage of the reclamation act rapid progress has been made in the surveys and examinations of the opportunities for reclamation in the thirteen States and three Territories of the arid West. Construction has already been begun on the largest and most important of the irrigation works, and plans are being completed for works which will utilize the funds now available. The operations are being carried on by the Reclamation Service, a corps of engineers selected through competitive civil-service examinations. This corps includes experienced consulting and constructing engineers as well as various experts in mechanical and legal matters, and is composed largely of men who have spent most of their lives in practical affairs connected with irrigation. The larger problems have been solved and it now remains to execute with care, economy, and thoroughness the work which has been laid out. All important details are being carefully considered by boards of consulting engineers, selected, for their thorough knowledge and practical experience. Each project is taken up on the ground by competent men and viewed from the standpoint of the creation of prosperous homes, and of promptly refunding to the Treasury the cost of construction. The recla-

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nation act has been found to be remarkably complete and effective, and so broad in its provisions that a wide range of undertakings has been possible under it. At the same time, economy is guaranteed by the fact that the funds must ultimately be returned to be used over again.

FORESTS.

"It is the cardinal principle of the forest-reserve policy of this Administration that the reserves are for use. Whatever interferes with the use of their resources is to be avoided by every possible means. But these resources must be used in such a way as to make them permanent.

"The forest policy of the Government is just now a subject of vivid public interest throughout the West and to the people of the United States in general. The forest reserves themselves are of extreme value to the present as well as to the future welfare of all the western public-land States. They powerfully affect the use and disposal of the public lands. They are of special importance because they preserve the water supply and the supply of timber for domestic purposes, and so promote settlement under the reclamation act. Indeed, they are essential to the welfare of every one of the great interests of the West.

"Forest reserves are created for two principal purposes. The first is to preserve the water supply. This is their most important use. The principal users of the water thus preserved are irrigation ranchers and settlers, cities and towns to whom their municipal water supplies are of the very first importance, users and furnishers of water power, and the users of water for domestic, manufacturing, mining and other purposes. All these are directly dependent upon the forest reserves.

"The second reason for which forest reserves are created is to preserve the timber supply for various classes of wood users. Among the more important of these are settlers under the reclamation act and other acts, for whom a cheap and accessible supply of timber for domestic uses is absolutely necessary; miners and prospectors, who are in serious danger of losing their timber supply by fire or through export by lumber companies when timber lands adjacent to their mines pass into private ownership; lumbermen, transportation companies, builders, and commercial interests in general.

"Although the wisdom of creating forest reserves is nearly everywhere heartily recognized, yet in a few localities there has been misunderstanding and complaint. The following statement is therefore desirable:

"The forest-reserve policy can be successful only when it has the full support of the people of the West. It can not safely, and should not in any case, be imposed upon them against their will. But neither can we accept the views of those whose only interest in the forest is temporary; who are anxious to reap what they have not sown and then move away, leaving desolation behind them. On the contrary, it is everywhere and always the interest of the permanent settler and the permanent business man, the man with a stake in the country, which must be considered and which must decide.

"The making of forest reserves within railroad and wagon road land-grant limits will hereafter, as for the past three years, be so managed as to prevent the issue, under the act of June 4, 1897, of base for exchange or lieu selection (usually called scrip). In all cases where forest reserves within areas covered by land grants appear to be essential to the prosperity of settlers, miners or others, the Government lands within such proposed forest reserves will, as in the recent past, be withdrawn from sale or entry pending the completion of such negotiations with the owners of the land grants as will prevent the creation of so-called scrip.

"It was formerly the custom to make forest reserves without first getting definite and detailed information as to the character of land and timber within their boundaries. This method of action often resulted in badly chosen boundaries and consequent injustice to settlers and others. Therefore this Administration adopted the present method of first withdrawing the land from disposal followed by careful examination on the ground and the preparation of detailed maps and descriptions, before any forest reserve is created.

FOREST MATTERS.

"I have repeatedly called attention to the confusion which exists in Government forest matters because the work is scattered among three independent organizations. The United States is the only one of the great nations in which the forest work of the Government is not concentrated under one department, in consonance with the plainest dictates of good administration and common sense. The present arrangement is bad from every point of view. Merely to mention it is to prove that it should be terminated at once. As I have repeatedly recommended, all the forest work of the Government should be concentrated in the Department of Agriculture, where the larger part of that work is already done, where practically all of the trained foresters of the Government are employed, where chiefly in Washington there is comprehensive first-hand knowledge of the problems of the reserves acquired on the ground, where all problems relating to growth from the soil are already gathered, and where all the sciences auxiliary to forestry are at hand for prompt and effective cooperation. These reasons are decisive in themselves, but it should be added that the great organizations of citizens whose interests are affected by the forest reserves, such as the National Live Stock Association, the National Wool Growers' Association, the American Mining Congress, the National Irrigation Congress and the National Board of Trade, have uniformly, emphatically and most of them repeatedly, expressed themselves in favor of placing all Government forest work in the Department of Agriculture because of the peculiar adaptation of that Department for it. It is true, also, that the forest services of nearly all the great nations of the world are under the respective departments of agriculture, while in but two of the smaller nations and in one colony are they under the department of the interior. This is the result of long and varied experience and it agrees fully with the requirements of good administration in our own case.

"The creation of a forest service in the Department of Agriculture will have for its important results:

First. A better handling of all forest work, because it will be under a single head, and because the vast and indispensable experience of the Department in all matters pertaining to the forest reserves, to forestry in general, and to other forms of production from the soil, will be easily and rapidly accessible.

"Second. The reserves themselves, being handled from the point of view of the men in the field instead of the men in the office, will be more easily and more widely useful to the people of the West than has been the case hitherto.

"Third. Within a comparatively short time the reserves will become self-supporting. This is important, because continually and rapidly increasing appropriations will be necessary for the proper care of this exceedingly important interest of the Nation, and they can and should be offset by returns from the National forests. Under similar circumstances the forest possessions of other great nations form an important source of revenue to their governments.

"Every administrative officer concerned is convinced of the necessity for the proposed consolidation of forest work in the Department of Agriculture, and I myself have urged it more than once in former messages. Again I commend it to the early and favorable consideration of the Congress. The interests of the Nation at large and of the West in particular have suffered greatly because of the delay.

PUBLIC LANDS.

"I call the attention of the Congress again to the report and recommendation of the Commission on the Public Lands forwarded by me to the second session of the present Congress. The Commission has prosecuted its investigations actively during the past season, and a second report is now in an advanced stage of preparation.

GAME PRESERVES.

"In connection with the work of the forest reserves I desire again to urge upon Congress the importance of authorizing the President to set aside certain portions of these reserves or other public lands as game refuges for the preservation of the bison, the wapiti, and other large beasts once so abundant in our woods and mountains and on our great plains, and now tending toward extinction. Every support should be given to the authorities of the Yellowstone Park in their successful efforts at preserving the large creatures therein; and at very little expense portions of the public domain in other regions which are wholly unsuited to agricultural settlement could be similarly utilized. We owe it to future generations to keep alive the noble and beautiful creatures which by their presence add such distinctive character to the American wilderness. The limits of the Yellowstone Park should be extended southwards. The Canyon of the Colorado should be made a national park; and the national park system should include the Yosemite and as many as possible of the groves of giant trees in California.

PENSIONS.

The veterans of the Civil War have a claim upon the Nation such as no other body of our citizens possess. The Pension Bureau has never in its history been managed in a more satisfactory manner than is now the case.

INDIANS.

The progress of the Indians toward civilization, though not rapid, is perhaps all that could be hoped for in view of the circumstances. Within the past year many tribes have shown, in a degree better than ever before, an appreciation of the necessity of work. This changed attitude is in part due to the policy recently pursued of reducing the amount of subsistence to the Indians, and thus forcing them, through sheer necessity, to work for a livelihood. The policy, though severe, is a useful one, but it is to be exercised only with judgment and with a full understanding of the conditions which exist in each community for which it is intended. On or near the Indian reservations there is usually very little demand for labor, and if the Indians are to earn their living and when work can not be furnished from outside (which is always preferable), then it must be furnished by the Government. Practical instruction of this kind would in a few years result in the forming of habits of regular industry, which would render the Indian a producer and would effect a great reduction in the cost of his maintenance.

"It is commonly declared that the slow advance of the Indians is due to the unsatisfactory character of the men appointed to take immediate charge of them, and to some extent this is true. While the standard of the employes in the Indian Service shows great improvement over that of bygone years, and while actual corruption or flagrant dishonesty is now the rare exception, it is nevertheless the fact that the salaries paid Indian agents are not large enough to attract the best men to that field of work. To achieve satisfactory results the official in charge of an Indian tribe should possess the high qualifications which are required in the manager of a large business, but only in exceptional cases is it possible to secure men of such a type for these positions. Much better service, however, might be obtained from those now holding the places were it practicable to get out of them the best that is in them and this should be done by bringing them constantly into closer touch with their superior officers. An agent who has been content to draw his salary, giving in return the least possible equivalent in effort and service, may, by proper treatment, by suggestion and encouragement, or persistent urging, be stimulated to greater effort and indeed to take a more active personal interest in his work.

"Under existing conditions an Indian agent in the distant West may be wholly out of touch with the office of the Indian Bureau. He may very well feel that no one takes a personal interest in him or his efforts. Certain routine duties in the way of reports and accounts required of him. But there is no one with whom he may intelligently consult on matters vital to his work, except after long delay. Such a man would be greatly encouraged and aided by personal contact with some one whose interest in Indian affairs and whose authority in the Indian Bureau were greater than his own, and such contact would be certain to arouse and constantly increase the interest he takes in his work.

"The distance which separates the agents—the workers in the field—from the Indian Office in Washington is a chief obstacle to Indian progress. Whatever shall more closely unite these two branches of the Indian Service, and shall enable them to cooperate more heartily and more effectively, will be for the increased efficiency of the work and the betterment of the race for whose improvement the Indian Bureau was established. The appointment of a field assistant to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs would be certain to insure this good end. Such an official, if possessed of the requisite energy and deep interest in the work, would be a most efficient factor in bringing into closer relationship and a more direct union of effort the Bureau in Washington and its agents in the field; and with the cooperation of its branches thus secured the Indian Bureau would, in measure fuller than ever before, lift up the savage toward that self-help and self-reliance which constitute the man.

JAMESTOWN TRICENTENNIAL.

"In 1907 there will be held at Hampton Roads the tricentennial celebration of the settlement at Jamestown, Virginia, with which the history of what has now become the United States really begins. I commend this to your favorable consideration. It is an event of prime historic significance, in which all the people of the United States should feel, and should show, great and general interest.

POSTAL SERVICE.

"In the Postoffice Department the service has increased in efficiency, and conditions as to revenue and expenditure continue satisfactory. The increase of revenue during the year was $9,358,181.16 or 6.9 per cent, the total receipts amounting to $148,382,624.34. The expenditures were $152,362,116.70, an increase of about 9 per cent over the previous year, being thus $8,979,492.86 in excess of the current revenue. Included in these expenditures was a total appropriation of $12,956,687.35 for the continuation and extension of the rural free-delivery service, which was an increase of $4,902,237.35 over the amount expended for this purpose in the preceding fiscal year. Large as this expenditure has been the beneficent results attained in extending the free distribution of mails to the residents of rural districts have justified the wisdom of the outlay. Statistics brought down to the 1st of October, 1904, show that on that date there were 27,138 rural routes established, serving approximately 12,000,000 of people in rural districts remote from postoffices, and that there were pending at that time 3,859 petitions for the establishment of new rural routes. Unquestionably some part of the general increase in receipts is due to the increased postal facilities which the rural service has afforded. The revenues have also been aided greatly by amendments in the classification of mail matter, and the curtailment of abuses of the second-class mailing privilege. The average increase in the volume of mail matter for the period beginning with 1902 and ending June, 1905 (that portion for 1905 being estimated), is 40.47 per cent, as compared with 25.46 per cent for the period immediately preceding, and 15.92 for the four-year period immediately preceding that.

CONSULAR SERVICE.

"Our consular system needs improvement. Salaries should be substituted for fees, and the proper classification, grading and transfer of consular officers should be provided. I am not prepared to say that a competitive system of examinations for appointment would work well, but by law it should be provided that consuls should be familiar, according to places for which they apply, with the French, German, or Spanish languages, and should possess acquaintance with the resources of the United States.

NATIONAL GALLERY OF ART.

"The collection of objects of art contemplated in section 5586 of the Revised Statutes should be designated and established as a National Gallery of Art; and the Smithsonian Institution should be authorized to accept any additions to said collection that may be received by gift, bequest, or devise.

NATIONAL QUARANTINE LAW.

"It is desirable to enact a proper National quarantine law. It is most undesirable that a State should on its own initiative enforce quarantine regulations which are in effect a restriction upon interstate and international commerce. The question should properly be assumed by the Government alone. The Surgeon-General of the National Public Health and Marine-Hospital Service has repeatedly and convincingly set forth the need for such legislation.

EXTRAVAGANCE IN PRINTING.

"I call your attention to the great extravagance in printing and binding Government publications, and especially to the fact that altogether too many of these publications are printed. There is a constant tendency to increase their number and their volume. It is an understatement to say that no appreciable harm would be caused by, and substantial benefit would accrue from, decreasing the amount of printing now done by at least one-half. Probably the great majority of the Government reports and the like now printed are never read at all, and furthermore the printing of much of the material contained in many of the remaining ones serves no useful purpose whatever.

CURRENCY.

"The attention of the Congress should be especially given to the currency question, and that the standing committees on the matter in the two Houses charged with the duty, take up the matter of our currency and see whether it is not possible to secure an agreement in the business world for bettering the system, the committees should consider the question of the retirement of the greenbacks and the problem of securing in our currency such elasticity as is consistent with safety. Every silver dollar should be made by law redeemable in gold at the option of the holder.

MERCHANT MARINE.

I especially commend to your immediate attention the encouragement of our merchant marine by appropriate legislation.

TARIFF.

On the tariff I shall communicate with you later.

ORIENTAL MARKETS.

"The growing importance of the Orient as a field for American exports drew from my predecessor, President McKinley, an urgent request for its special consideration by the Congress. In his message of 1898 he stated:

"'In this relation, as showing the peculiar volume and value of our trade with China and the peculiarly favorable conditions which exist for their expansion in the normal course of trade, I refer to the communication addressed to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of the Treasury on the 14th of last June, with its accompanying letter of the Secretary of State, recommending an appropriation for a commission to study the industrial and commercial conditions in the Chinese Empire and to report as to the opportunities for and the obstacles to the enlargement of markets in China for the raw products and manufactures of the United States. Action was not taken thereon during the last session. I cordially urge that the recommendation receive at your hands the consideration which its importance and timeliness merit.'

"In his annual message of 1899 he again called attention to this recommendation, quoting it, and stated further:

"'I now renew this recommendation, as the importance of the subject has steadily grown since it was first submitted to you, and no time should be lost in studying for ourselves the resources of this great field for American trade and enterprise.'

"The importance of securing proper information and data with a view to the enlargement of our trade with Asia is undiminished. Our consular representatives in China have strongly urged a place for permanent display of American products in some prominent trade center of that Empire, under Government control and management, as an effective means of advancing our export trade therein. I call the attention of the Congress to the desirability of carrying out these suggestions.

IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION.

"In dealing with the questions of immigration and naturalization it is indispensable to keep certain facts ever before the minds of those who share in enacting the laws. First and foremost, let us remember that the question of being a good American has nothing whatever to do with a man's birthplace any more than it has to do with his creed. In every generation from the time this Government was founded men of foreign birth have stood in the very foremost rank of good citizenship, and that not merely in one but in every field of American activity, while to try to draw a distinction between the man whose parents came to this country and the man whose ancestors came to it several generations back is a mere absurdity. Good Americanism is a matter of heart, of conscience, of lofty aspiration, of sound common sense, but not of birthplace or of creed. The medal of honor the highest prize to be won by those who serve in the Army and the Navy of the United States decorates men born here, and it also decorates men born in Great Britain and Ireland, in Germany, in Scandinavia, in France, and doubtless in other countries also. In the field of statesmanship, in the field of business, in the field of philanthropic endeavor, it is equally true that among the men of whom we are most proud as Americans no distinction whatever can be drawn between those who themselves or whose parents came over in sailing ship or steamer from across the water and those whose ancestors stepped ashore into the wooded wilderness at Plymouth or at the mouth of the Hudson, the Delaware, or the James nearly three centuries ago. No fellow-citizen of ours is entitled to any peculiar regard because of the way in which he worships his Maker, or because of the birthplace of himself or his parents, nor should he be in any way discriminated against therefor. Each must stand on his worth as a man and each is entitled to be judged solely by that.

"There is no danger of having too many immigrants of the right kind. It makes no difference from what country they come. If they are sound in body and in mind, and, above all, if they are of good character, so that we can rest assured that their children and grandchildren will be worthy fellow-citizens of our children and grandchildren, then we should welcome them with cordial hospitality.

"But the citizenship of this country should not be debased. It is vital that we should keep high the standard of well-being among our wage-workers, and therefore we should not admit masses of men whose standards of living and whose personal customs and habits are such that they tend to lower the level of the American wage-worker; and above all we should not admit any man of an unworthy type, any man concerning whom we can say that he will himself be a bad citizen, or that his children and grandchildren will detract from instead of adding to the sum of the good citizens in or of the country. Similarly we should take the greatest care about naturalization. Fraudulent naturalization, the naturalization of improper persons, is a curse to our Government; and it is the affair of every honest voter, wherever born, to see that no fraudulent voting is allowed, that no fraud in connection with naturalization is permitted.

"In the past year the cases of false, fraudulent, and improper naturalization of aliens coming to the attention of executive branches of the Government have increased to an alarming degree. Extensive sales of forged certificates of naturalization have been discovered, as well as many cases of naturalization secured by perjury and fraud, and in addition, instances have accumulated showing that many courts issue certificates of naturalization carelessly and upon insufficient evidence.

"Under the Constitution it is in the power of the Congress 'to establish a uniform rule of naturalization,' and numerous laws have from time to time been enacted for that purpose, which have been supplemented in a few States by State laws having special application. The Federal statutes permit naturalization by any court of record in the United States having common-law jurisdiction and a seal and clerk, except the police court of the District of Columbia, and nearly all these courts exercise this important function. It results that where so many courts of such varying grades have jurisdiction, there is lack of uniformity in the rules applied in conferring naturalization. Some courts are strict and others lax. An alien who may secure naturalization in one place might be denied it in another, and the intent of the constitutional provision is in fact defeated. Furthermore, the certificates of naturalization issued by the courts differ widely in wording and appearance, and when they are brought into use in foreign countries, are frequently subject to suspicion.

NATURALIZATION LAWS SHOULD BE REVISED

"There should be a comprehensive revision of the naturalization laws. The courts having power to naturalize should be definitely named by national authority; the testimony upon which naturalization may be conferred should be definitely prescribed; publication of impending naturalization applications should be required in advance of their hearing in court; the form and wording of all certificates issued should be uniform throughout the country, and the courts should be required to make returns to the Secretary of State at stated periods of all naturalizations conferred.

LAWS CONCERNING CITIZENSHIP.

"Not only are the laws relating to naturalization now defective, but those relating to citizenship of the United States ought also to be made the subject of scientific inquiry with a view to probable further legislation. By what acts expatriation may be assumed to have been accomplished, how long an American citizen may reside abroad and receive the protection of our passport, whether any degree of protection should be extended to one who has made the declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States but has not secured naturalization, are questions of serious import, involving personal rights and often producing friction between this Government and foreign governments. Yet upon these questions our laws are silent. I recommend that an examination be made into the subjects of citizenship, expatriation, and protection of Americans abroad, with a view to appropriate legislation.

ELECTIONS.

"The power of the Government to protect the integrity of the elections of its own officials is inherent and has been recognized and affirmed by repeated declarations of the Supreme Court. There is no enemy of free government more dangerous and none so insidious as the corruption of the electorate. No one defends or excuses corruption, and it would seem to follow that none would oppose vigorous measures to eradicate it. I recommend the enactment of a law directed against bribery and corruption in Federal elections. The details of such a law may be safely left to the wise discretion of the Congress, but it should go as far as under the Constitution it is possible to go, and should include severe penalties against him who gives or receives a bribe intended to influence his act or opinion as an elector; and provisions for the publication not only of the expenditures for nominations and elections of all candidates but also of all contributions received and expenditures made by political committees.

DELAYS IN CRIMINAL PROSECUTIONS.

"No subject is better worthy the attention of the Congress than that portion of the report of the Attorney-General dealing with the long delays and the great obstruction to justice experienced in the cases of Beavers, Green and Gaynor, and Benson. Were these isolated and special cases, I should not call your attention to them, but the difficulties encountered as regards these men who have been indicted for criminal practices are not exceptional; they are precisely similar in kind to what occurs again and again in the case of criminals who have sufficient means to enable them to take advantage of a system of procedure which has grown up in the Federal courts and which amounts in effect to making the law easy of enforcement against the man who has no money, and difficult of enforcement, even to the point of sometimes securing immunity, as regards the man who has money. In criminal cases the writ of the United States should run throughout its borders. The wheels of justice should not be clogged, as they have been clogged in the cases above mentioned, where it has proved absolutely impossible to bring the accused to the place appointed by the Constitution for his trial. Of recent years there has been grave and increasing complaint of the difficulty of bringing to justice those criminals whose criminality, instead of being against one person in the Republic, is against all persons in the Republic, because it is against the Republic itself. Under any circumstance and from the very nature of the case it is often exceedingly difficult to secure proper punishment of those who have been guilty of wrongdoing against the Government. By the time the offender can be brought into court the popular wrath against him has generally subsided; and there is in most instances very slight danger indeed of any prejudice existing in the minds of the jury against him. At present the interests of the innocent man are amply safeguarded, but the interests of the Government, that is, the interests of honest administration, that is the interest of the people are not recognized as they should be. No subject better warrants the attention of the Congress. Indeed, no subject better warrants the attention of the bench and the bar throughout the United States.

ALASKA.

"Alaska, like all our Territorial acquisitions, has proved resourceful beyond the expectations of those who made the purchase. It has become the home of many hardy, industrious and thrifty American citizens. Towns of a permanent character have been built. The extent of its wealth in minerals, timber, fisheries and agriculture, while great, is probably not comprehended yet in any just measure by our people. We do know, however, that from a very small beginning its products have grown until they are a steady and material contribution to the wealth of the Nation. Owing to the immensity of Alaska and its location in the far north, it is a difficult matter to provide many things essential to its growth and to the happiness and comfort of its people by private enterprise alone. It should, therefore, receive reasonable aid from the Government. The Government has already done excellent work for Alaska in laying cables and building telegraph lines. This work has been done in the most economical and efficient way by the Signal Corps of the Army.

"In some respects it has outgrown its present laws, while in others those laws have been found to be inadequate. In order to obtain information upon which I could rely I caused an official of the Department of Justice, in whose judgment I have confidence, to visit Alaska during the past summer for the purpose of ascertaining how government is administered there and what legislation is actually needed at present. A statement of the conditions found to exist, together with some recommendations and the reasons therefor, in which I strongly concur, will be found in the annual report of the Attorney-General. In some instances I feel that the legislation suggested is so imperatively needed that I am moved briefly to emphasize the Attorney-General's proposals.

"Under the Code of Alaska as it now stands many purely administrative powers and duties, including by far the most important, devolve upon the district judges or upon the clerks of the district court acting under the direction of the judges, while the governor, upon whom these powers and duties should logically fall, has nothing specific to do except to make annual reports, issue Thanksgiving Day proclamations, and appoint Indian policemen and notaries public. I believe it is essential to good government in Alaska, and therefore recommend, that the Congress divest the district judges and the clerks of their courts of the administrative or executive functions that they now exercise and cast them upon the governor. This would not be an innovation; it would simply conform the government of Alaska to fundamental principles, making the governorship a real instead of a merely nominal office, and leaving the judges free to give their entire attention to their judicial duties and at the same time removing them from a great deal of the strife that now embarrasses the judicial office in Alaska.

"I also recommend that the salaries of the district judges and district attorneys in Alaska be increased so as to make them equal to those received by corresponding officers in the United States after deducting the difference in the cost of living; that the district attorneys should be prohibited from engaging in private practice; that United States commissioners be appointed by the governor of the Territory instead of by the district judges, and that a fixed salary be provided for them to take the place of the discredited 'fee system,' which should be abolished in all offices; that a mounted constabulary be created to police the territory outside the limits of incorporated towns—a vast section now wholly without police protection; and that some provision be made to at least lessen the oppressive delays and costs that now attend the prosecution of appeals from the district court of Alaska. There should be a division of the existing judicial districts, and an increase in the number of judges.

"Alaska should have a Delegate in the Congress. Where possible, the Congress should aid in the construction of needed wagon roads. Additional light-houses should be provided, in my judgment, it is especially important to aid in such manner as seems just and feasible in the construction of a trunk line of railway to connect the Gulf of Alaska with the Yukon River through American territory. This would be most beneficial to the development of the resources of the Territory, and to the comfort and welfare of its people.

"Salmon hatcheries should be established in many suitable streams, so as to secure the preservation of this valuable food fish. Salmon fisheries and canneries should be prohibited on certain of the rivers where the mass of those Indians dwell who live almost exclusively on fish.

"The Alaskan natives are kindly, intelligent, anxious to learn and willing to work. Those who have come under the influence of civilization, even for a limited period, have proved their capability of becoming self-supporting, self-respecting citizens, and ask only for the just enforcement of law and intelligent instruction and supervision. Others, living in more remote regions, primitive, simple hunters, and fisher folk, who know only the life of the woods and the waters, are daily being confronted with twentieth-century civilization with all its complexities. Their country is being overrun by strangers, the game slaughtered and driven away, the stream depleted of fish, and hitherto unknown and fatal diseases brought to them, all of which combine to produce a state of abject poverty and want which must result in their extinction. Action in their interest is demanded by every consideration of justice and humanity.

"The needs of these people are:

"The abolition of the present fee system, whereby the native is degraded, imposed upon, and taught the injustice of law.

"The establishment of hospitals at central points, so that contagious diseases that are brought to them continually by incoming whites may be localized and not allowed to become epidemic, to spread death and destitution over great areas.

"The development of the educational system in the form of practical training in such industries as will assure the Indians self-support under the changed conditions in which they will have to live.

"The duties of the office of the governor should be extended to include the supervision of Indian affairs, with necessary assistants in different districts. He should be provided with the means and the power to protect and advise the native people, to furnish medical treatment in time of epidemics, and to extend material relief in periods of famine and extreme destitution.

HAWAII AND PORTO RICO.

"The Alaskan natives should be given the right to acquire, hold and dispose of property upon the same conditions as given other inhabitants; and the privilege of citizenship should be given to such as may be able to meet certain definite requirements. In Hawaii Congress should give the governor power to remove all the officials appointed under him. The harbor of Honolulu should be dredged. The Marine-Hospital Service should be empowered to study leprosy in the islands. I ask special consideration for the report and recommendations of the governor of Porto Rico.

FOREIGN POLICY.

"In treating of our foreign policy and of the attitude that this great Nation should assume in the world at large, it is absolutely necessary to consider the Army and the Navy, and the Congress, through which the thought of the Nation finds its expression, should keep ever vividly in mind the fundamental fact that it is impossible to treat our foreign policy whether this policy takes shape in the effort to secure justice for others or justice for ourselves, save as conditioned upon the attitude we are willing to take toward our Army, and especially toward our Navy. It is not merely unwise, it is contemptible, for a nation, as for an individual, to use high-sounding language to proclaim its purposes, or to take positions which are ridiculous if unsupported by potential force, and then to refuse to provide this force, and there is no intention of providing and of keeping the force necessary to back up a strong attitude, then it is far better not to assume such an attitude.

"The steady aim of this Nation, as of all enlightened Nations, should be to strive to bring ever nearer the day when there shall prevail throughout the world the peace of justice. There are kinds of peace which are highly undesirable, which are in the long run as destructive as any war. Tyrants and oppressors have many times made a wilderness and called it peace. Many times peoples who were slothful or timid or shortsighted, who had been enervated by ease or by luxury, or misled by false teachings, have shrunk in unmanly fashion from doing duty that was stern and that needed self-sacrifice, and have sought to hide from their own minds their shortcomings, their ignoble motives, by calling them love of peace. The peace of tyrannous terror, the peace of craven weakness, the peace of injustice all these should be shunned as we shun unrighteous war. The goal to set before us as a nation, the goal which should be set before all mankind, is the attainment of the peace of justice, of the peace which comes when each nation is not merely safe-guarded in its own rights, but scrupulously recognizes and performs its duty toward others. Generally peace tells for righteousness; but if there is conflict between the two, then our loyalty is due first to the cause of righteousness. Unrighteous wars are common, and unrighteous peace is rare, but both should be shunned. The right of freedom and the responsibility for the exercise of that right can not be divorced. One of our great poets has well and finely said that freedom is not a gift that tarries long in the hands of cowards. Neither does it tarry long in the hands of those too slothful, too dishonest, or too unintelligent to exercise it. The eternal vigilance which is the price of liberty must be exercised, sometimes to guard against outside foes, although of course far more often to guard against our own selfish or thoughtless shortcomings.

"If these self-evident truths are kept before us, we shall have a clear idea before us, we hsall have a clear idea of what our foreign policy in its larger aspects should be. It is our duty to remember that a nation has no more right to do injustice to another nation, strong or weak, than an individual has to do injustice to another individual; that the same moral law applies in one case as in the other. But we must also remember that it is as much the duty of the Nation to guard its own rights and its own interests as it is the duty of the individual to do so. Within the Nation the individual has now delegated this right to the State, that is, to the representative of all the individuals, and it is a maxim of the law that for every wrong there is a remedy. But in international law we have not advanced by any means as far as we have advanced in municipal law. There is yet no national way of enforcing a right in international law. When one nation wrongs another or wrongs many others, there is no tribunal before which the wrongdoer can be brought. Either it is necessary simply to acquiesce in the wrong, and thus put a premium upon brutality and aggression, or else it is necessary for the aggrieved nation valiantly to stand up for its rights. Until some method is devised by which there shall be a degree of international control over offending nations, it would be a wicked thing for the most civilized powers for those with most sense of international obligations and with keenest and most generous appreciation of the difference between right and wrong, to disarm. If the great civilized nations of the present day should completely disarm, the result would mean an immediate recrudescence of barbarism in one form or another. Under any circumstances a sufficient armament would have to be kept up to serve the purpose of international police; and until international cohesion and the sense of international duties and rights are far more advanced than at present a nation desirous both of securing respect for itself and of doing good to others must have a force adequate for the work which it feels is allotted to it as its part of the general world duty. Therefore it follows that a self-respecting, just, and far-seeing nation should on the one hand endeavor by every means to aid in the development of the various movements which tend to provide substitutes for war, which tend to render nations in their actions toward one another, and indeed toward their own peoples, more responsive to the general sentiment of humane and civilized mankind; and on the other hand that it should keep prepared, while scrupulously avoiding wrongdoing itself, to resent any wrong, and in exceptional cases to take action which in a more advanced stage of international relations would come under the head of the exercise of the international police. A great free people owes it to itself and to all mankind not to sink into helplessness before the powers of evil.

ARBITRATION.

"We are in every way endeavoring to help on, with cordial good will, every movement which will tend to bring us into more friendly relations with the rest of mankind. In pursuance of this policy I shall shortly lay before the Senate treaties of arbitration with all powers which are willing to enter into these treaties with us. It is not possible at this period of the world's development to agree to arbitrate all matters, but there are many matters of possible difference between us and other nations which can be thus arbitrated. Furthermore, at the request of the Interparliamentary Union, an eminent body composed of practical statesmen from all countries, I have asked the Powers to join with this Government in a second Hague conference, at which it is hoped that the work already so happily begun at The Hague may be carried some steps further toward completion. This carries out the desire expressed by the first Hague conference itself.

"It is not true that the United States feels any land hunger or entertains any projects as regards the other nations of the Western Hemisphere save such as are for their welfare. All that this country desires is to see the neighboring countries stable, orderly and prosperous. Any country whose people conduct themselves well can count upon our hearty friendship. If a nation shows that it knows how to act with reasonable efficiency and decency in social and political matters, if it keeps order and pays its obligations, it need fear no interference from the United States. Chronic wrong doing, or an impotence which results in a general loosening of the ties of civilized society, may in America, as elsewhere, ultimately require intervention by some civilized nation, and in the Western Hemisphere the adherence of the United States to the Monroe doctrine may force the United States, however reluctantly, in flagrant cases of such wrongdoing or impotence, to the exercise of an international police power. If every country washed by the Caribbean Sea would show the progress in stable and just civilization which with the aid of the Platt amendment Cuba has shown since our troops left the island, and which so many of the republics in both America are constantly and brilliantly showing, all question of interference by this Nation with their affairs would be at an end. Our interests and those of our southern neighbors are in reality identical. They have great natural riches, and if within their borders the reign of law and justice obtains, prosperity is sure to come to them. While they thus keep the primary laws of civilized society they may rest assured that they will be treated by us in a spirit of cordial and helpful sympathy. We would interfere with them only in the last resort, and then only if it became evident that their inability or unwillingness to do justice at home and abroad had violated the rights of the United States or had invited foreign aggression to the detriment of the entire body of American nations. It is a mere truism to say that every nation, whether in America or anywhere else, which desires to maintain its freedom, its independence, must ultimately realize that the right of such independence can not be separated from the responsibility of making good use of it.

"In asserting the Monroe Doctrine, in taking such steps as we have taken in regard to Cuba, Venezuela and Panama, and in endeavoring to circumscribe the theater of war in the Far East, and to secure the open door in China, we have acted in our own interest as well as in the interest of humanity at large. There are, however, cases in which, while our interests are not greatly involved, strong appeal is made to our sympathies. Ordinarily it is very much wiser and more useful for us to concern ourselves with striving for our own moral and material betterment here at home than to concern ourselves with trying to better the condition of things in other nations. We have plenty of sins of our own to war against, and under ordinary circumstances we can do more for the general uplifting of humanity by striving with heart and soul to put a stop to civic corruption, to brutal lawlessness and violent race prejudices here at home than by passing resolu-

tions about wrongdoing elsewhere. Nevertheless there are occasional crimes committed on so vast a scale and of such peculiar horror as to make us doubt whether it is not our manifest duty to endeavor at least to show our disapproval of the deed and our sympathy with those who have suffered by it. The cases must be extreme in which such a course is justifiable. There must be no effort made to remove the mote from our brother's eye if we refuse to remove the beam from our own. But in extreme cases action may be justifiable and proper. What form the action shall take must depend upon the circumstances of the case; that is, upon the degree of the atrocity and upon our power to remedy it. The cases in which we could interfere by force of arms as we interfered to put a stop to intolerable conditions in Cuba are necessarily very few. Yet it is not to be expected that a people like ours, which in spite of certain very obvious shortcomings, nevertheless as a whole shows by its consistent practice its belief in the principles of civil and religious liberty and of orderly freedom, a people among whom even the worst crime, like the crime of lynching, is never more than sporadic, so that individuals and not classes are molested in their fundamental rights—it is inevitable that such a nation should desire eagerly to give expression to its horror on an occasion like that of the massacre of the Jews in Kishenef, or when it witnesses such systematic and long-extended cruelty and oppression as the cruelty and oppression of which the Armenians have been the victims, and which have won for them the indignant pity of the civilized world.

RIGHTS OF AMERICAN CITIZENS ABROAD.

"Even where it is not possible to secure in other nations the observance of the principles which we accept as axiomatic, it is necessary for us firmly to insist upon the rights of our own citizens without regard to their creed or race, without regard to whether they were born here or born abroad. It has proved very difficult to secure from Russia the right for our Jewish fellow-citizens to receive passports and travel through Russian territory. Such conduct is not only unjust and irritating toward us, but it is difficult to see its wisdom from Russia's standpoint. No conceivable good is accomplished by it. If an American Jew or an American Christian misbehaves himself in Russia he can at once be driven out, but the ordinary American Jew, like the ordinary American Christian, would behave just about as he behaves here, that is, behave as any good citizen out to behave, and where this is the case it is a wrong against which we are entitled to protest to refuse him his passport without regard to his conduct and character, merely on racial and religious grounds. In Turkey our difficulties arise less from the way in which our citizens are sometimes treated than from the way in which our citizens are sometimes treated than from the indignation inevitably excited in seeing such fearful misrule as has been witnessed both in Armenia and Macedonia.

THE NAVY.

"The strong arm of the Government in enforcing respect for its just rights in international matters is the Navy of the United States. I most earnestly recommend that there be no halt in the work of upbuilding the American Navy. There is no more patriotic duty before us as a people than to keep the Navy adequate to the needs of this country's position. We have undertaken to build the Isthmian Canal. We have undertaken to secure for ourselves our just share of the trade of the Orient. We have undertaken to protect our citizens from improper treatment in foreign lands. We continue steadily to insist on the application of the Monroe Doctrine to the Western Hemisphere. Unless our attitude in these and all similar matters is to be a mere boastful sham we can not afford to abandon our naval programme. Our voice is now potent for peace, and is so potent because we are not afraid of war. But our protestations upon behalf of peace would neither receive nor deserve the slightest attention if we were impotent to make them good.

THE WAR.

"The war which now unfortunately rages in the far East has emphasized in striking fashion the new possibilities of naval warfare. The lessons taught are both strategic and tactical, and are political as well as military. The experiences of the war have shown in conclusive fashion that while seagoing and sea-keeping torpedo destroyers are indispensable, and fast lightly armed and armored cruisers very useful, yet the main reliance, the main standby, in any navy worthy the name must be the great battle ships heavily armored and heavily gunned. Not a Russian or Japanese battle ship has been sunk by a torpedo boat, or by gunfire, while among the less protected ships, cruiser after cruiser has been destroyed whenever the hostile squadrons have gotten within range of one another's weapons. There will always be a large field of usefulness for cruisers especially of the more formidable type. We need to increase the number of torpedo-boat destroyers, paying less heed to their having a knot or two extra speed than to their capacity to keep the seas for weeks, and, if necessary, for months at a time. It is wise to build submarine torpedo boats, as under certain circumstances they might be very useful. But most of all we need to continue building our fleet of battle ships, or ships so powerfully armed that they can inflict the maximum of damage upon our opponents, and so well protected that they can suffer a severe hammering in return without fatal impairment of their ability to fight and maneuver. Of course ample means must be provided for enabling the personnel of the Navy to be brought to the highest point of efficiency. Our great fighting ships and torpedo boats must be ceaselessly trained and maneuvered in squadrons. The officers and men can only learn their trade thoroughly by ceaseless practice on the high seas. In the event of war it would be far better to have no ships at all than to have ships of a poor and ineffective type, or ships which, however good, were yet manned by untrained and unskillful crews. The best officers and men in a poor ship could do nothing against fairly good opponents; and on the other hand a modern war ship is useless unless the officers and men aboard her have become adepts in their duties. The marksmanship in our Navy has improved in an extraordinary degree during the last three years, and on the whole the types of our battle ships are improving, but much remains to be done. Sooner or later we shall have to provide for some method by which there will be promotions for merit as well as for seniority, or else retirement of all those who after a certain age have not advanced beyond a certain grade; while no effort must be spared to make the service attractive to the enlisted men in order that they may be kept as long as possible in it. Reservation schools should be provided wherever there are navy-yards.

THE ARMY.

"Within the last three years the United States has set an example in disarmament where disarmament was proper. By law our Army is fixed at a maximum of one hundred thousand and a minimum of sixty thousand men. When there was insurrection in the Philippines we kept the Army at the maximum. Peace came in the Philippines and now our Army has been reduced to the minimum at which it is possible to keep it with due regard to its efficiency. The guns now mounted require twenty-eight thousand men, if the coast fortifications are to be adequately manned. Relatively to the Nation, it is not now so large as the police force of New York or Chicago relatively to the population of either city. We need more officers; there are not enough to perform the regular army work. It is very important that the officers of the Army should be accustomed to actual field maneuvering, especially in connection with the regulars. For this reason we are to be congratulated upon the success of the field maneuvers at Manassas last fall, maneuvers in which a large number of Regulars and National Guard took part than was ever before assembled together in time of peace. No other civilized nation has, relatively to its population, such a diminutive Army as ours; and while the Army is so small we are not to be excused if we fail to keep it at a very high grade of proficiency. It must be incessantly practiced; the standard for the enlisted men should be kept very high, while at the same time the service should be made as attractive as possible; and the standard for the officers should be kept even higher—which, as regards the upper ranks, can best be done by introducing some system of selection and rejection into the promotions. We should be able, in the event of some sudden emergency, to put into the field one first-class army corps, which should be, as a whole, at least the equal of any body of troops of like number belonging to any other nation.

"Great progress has been made in protecting our coasts by adequate fortifications with sufficient guns. We should, however, pay much more heed than at present to the development of an extensive system of floating mines for use in all our more important harbors. These mines have been proved to be a most formidable safeguard against hostile fleets.

MEDALS OF HONOR IN THE NAVY.

"I earnestly call the attention of the Congress to the need of amending the existing law relating to the award of Congressional medals of honor in the Navy so as to provide that they may be awarded to commissioned officers and warrant officers as well as to enlisted men. These justly prized medals are given in the Army alike to the officers and the enlisted men, and it is most unjust that the commissioned officers and warrant officers of the Navy should not in this respect have the same rights as their brethren in the Army and as the enlisted men of the Navy.

THE PHILIPPINES.

"In the Philippine Islands there has been during the past year a continuation of the steady progress which has opened ever since our troops definitely got the upper hand of the insurgents. The Philippine people, or, to speak more accurately, the many tribes and even races, sundered from one another more or less sharply, who go to make up the people of the Philippine Islands, contain man elements of good, and some elements which we have a right to hope stand for progress. At present they are utterly incapable of existing in independence at all or of building up a civilization of their own. I firmly believe that we can help them to rise higher and higher in the scale of civilization and of capacity for self-government, and I most earnestly hope that in the end they will be able to stand, if not entirely alone yet in some such relation to the United States as Cuba now stands. This end is not yet in sight, and it may be indefinitely postponed if our people are foolish enough to turn the attention of the Filipinos away from the problems of achieving moral and material prosperity of working for a stable, orderly and just government, and toward foolish and dangerous intrigues for a complete independence for which they are as yet totally unfit.

On the other hand our people must keep steadily before their minds the fact that the justification for our stay in the Philippines must ultimately rest solely upon the good we are able to do in the islands. I do not overlook the fact that in the development of our interests in the Pacific Ocean and along its coasts, the Philippines have played and will play an important part, and that our interests have been served in more than one way by the possession of the islands. But our chief reason for continuing to hold them must be that we ought in good faith to try to do our share of the world's work, and this particular piece of work has been imposed upon us by the results of the war with Spain. The problem presented to us in the Philippine Islands is akin to, but not exactly like, the problems presented to the other great civilized powers which have possessions in the Orient. There are points of resemblance in our work to the work which is being done by the British in India and Egypt, by the French in Algeria, by the Dutch in Java, by the Russians in Turkestan, by the Japanese in Formosa, but more distinctly than any of these powers we are endeavoring to develop the natives themselves so that they shall take an ever-increasing share in their own government, and as far as is prudent we are already admitting their representatives to a governmental equality with our own.

"There are commissioners, judges, and governors in the islands who are Filipinos and who have exactly the same share in the government of the islands as have their colleagues who are Americans, while in the lower ranks, of course, the great majority of the public servants are Filipinos. Within two years we shall be trying the experiment of an elective lower house in the Philippine legislature. It may be that the Filipinos will misuse this legislature, and they certainly will misuse it if they are misled by foolish persons here at home into starting an agitation for their own independence or into any factious or improper action. In such case they will do themselves no good and will stop for the time being all further effort to advance them and give them a greater share in their own government. But if they act with wisdom and self-restraint if they show that they are capable of electing a legislature which in its turn is capable of taking a sane and efficient part in the actual work of government, they can rest assured that a full and increasing measure of recognition will be given them. Above all they should remember that their prime needs are moral and industrial, not political. It is a good thing to try the experiment of giving them a legislature; but it is a far better thing to give them schools, good roads, railroads which will enable them to get their products to market, honest courts, an honest and efficient constabulary, and all that tends to produce order, peace, fair dealing as between man and man, and habits of intelligent industry and thrift. If they are safeguarded against oppression, and if their real wants, material and spiritual, are studied intelligently and in a spirit of friendly sympathy, much more good will be done them than by any effort to give them political power, though this effort may in its own proper time and place be proper enough.

HIGHEST STANDARD.

"Meanwhile our own people should remember that there is need for the highest standard of conduct among the Americans sent to the Philippine Islands, not only among the public servants but among the private individuals who go to them. It is because I feel this so deeply that in the administration of these islands I have positively refused to permit any discrimination whatsoever for political reasons and have insisted that in choosing the public servants consideration should be paid solely to the worth of the men chosen and to the needs of the islands. There is no higher body of men in our public service than we have in the Philippine Islands under Governor Wright and his associates. So far as possible these men should be given a free hand, and their suggestions should receive the hearty backing both of the Executive and of the Congress. There is need of a vigilant and disinterested support of our public servants in the Philippines by good citizens here in the United States. Unfortunately hitherto those of our people here at home who have specially claimed to be the champions of the Filipinos have in reality been their worst enemies. This will continue to be the case as long as they strive to make the Filipinos independent, and stop all industrial development of the islands by crying out against the laws which would bring it on the ground the capitalists must not 'exploit' the islands. Such proceedings are not only unwise, but are most harmful to the Filipinos, who do not need independence at all, but who do need good laws, good public servants, and the industrial development that can only come if the investment of American and foreign capital in the islands is favored in all legitimate ways.

"Every measure taken concerning the islands should be taken primarily with a view to their advantage. We should certainly give them lower tariff rates on their exports to the United States; if this is not done it will be a wrong to extend our shipping laws to them. I earnestly hope for the immediate enactment into law of the legislation now pending to encourage American capital to seek investment in the islands in railroads, in factories, in plantations, and in lumbering and mining.

"THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

"The White House, December 5, 1904."

Mrs. Haskell, Worthy Vice Templar Independent Order Good Templars, of Silver Lake, Mass., tells of her cure by the use of **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.**

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ALLOWANCE STANDS

The four daughters of the late Nelson Bump, who reside in Yolo county are active in fighting their stepmother, who late in life married their father. There is already a contest over the will of the late real estate man and yesterday attorneys for the daughters came into court and asked to have the allowance of the widow cut down from $125 a month to $20. Judge Hall refused to make any such cut in the allowance as this, but did reduce it to $100.

Bump left an estate valued at between $53,000 and $75,000. He married a second time late in life and left his widow $2000 in cash and the home where she lives valued at about $2500. The rest of his property he left to be divided between his four daughters and they are not willing that the relict of their late father should draw any such monthly stipend from his estate while the contest is pending.

EXCITEMENT IN DAWSON.

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 6.—A special to the Post-Intelligencer from Dawson City, says the greatest excitement prevails over the theft of the registration lists. Intense interest is being taken in the election of a candidate from the Dominion Parliament. Thompson, Independent, charges that the friends of Congdon, government candidate, are responsible for the thefts. The Secretary of the Registration Board has applied to the police for protection. An appeal has been made to the Cabinet at Ottawa.

PROMINENT ATTORNEY DIES.

NEW YORK, December 6.—Edward H. Moeran, a well known attorney, is dead at his home in this city from diabetes. He was born in Dublin, and while studying at Marlborough College in England became prominent in amateur athletics. He was one of the founders of the St. George's Society of New York.

CALENDAR TEA TO BE LARGE AFFAIR.

WILL BE HELD SATURDAY AT THE CHABOT HOME.

The doors of the Chabot home on Madison street will be thrown open on Saturday for the largest tea of the winter, the Fabiola calendar tea which never fails to attract society folk from both sides of the bay. The hours will be from 3 until 6, and the musical program represents several of the clever people in musical and dramatic circles. Mrs. Crellin, Camille d'Arville, will sing and among the others who will participate are Miss Mary Alberta Morse, Miss Helen Crave and Mr. Millward, Miss Pearl King and Miss Frances Irish will contribute dramatic numbers and Willard Barton will be heard in character songs. The German quartet also forms one of the attractions on the program.

The receiving party will include the members of the hospital association.

EBELL CLUB.

The members of Ebell and their guests spent a pleasant and profitable hour this afternoon at the club rooms. The speaker of the afternoon was Mrs. Kate Greenleaf Locke of Pasadena who gave a delightful discourse on "Home Decoration" that subject which presents itself to every woman and is of never failing interest.

The decorations in the club rooms today had been grouped by skillful hands and were an attractive feature of the affair. The decoration committee includes: Mrs. R. A. Perry, Mrs. J. G. Pessiguo, Mrs. Walter Manuel, Mrs. J. H. Wright, Mrs. C. F. Cole.

CARD CLUB.

Miss Edith Gaskill entertained a merry group of girls this afternoon, members of a Five Hundred Club at her pretty home. The hours were pleasantly spent over the popular game.

LARGE RECEPTION.

Mrs. John L. Howard, Mrs. John L. Howard Jr. and Miss Jean Howard will entertain to-morrow at the elaborate affair of the week to be given at their home on Vernon Heights. The hours are from 8 until 6 o'clock and about 400 guests have been invited to meet the charming bride, Mrs. John L. Howard Jr., who will make her home on this side of the bay during the winter.

The receiving party will include Mrs. Charles Minor Goodall, Mrs. Allen Harwood Babcock, Mrs. Hayward G. Thomas, Mrs. Frederick Stolp, Mrs. T. C. Coogan, Mrs. Frank L. Brown, Mrs. Warren Olney Jr., Mrs. Robert S. Knight, Miss Grace Sanborn, Miss Leslie Green, Miss Charlotte Hoffman, Miss Marietta Havens, Miss Grace Baldwin, Miss Virginie de Fremery, Miss Polly de Fremery, Miss Cornelia Campbell, Miss Chrissie Taft, Miss Edith Fowler, Mrs. Irving Lundborg, Mrs. Grace Gorrill Gowing, Miss Jane Rawlings, Miss Charlotte Wood, Miss Doris Batchelder, Miss Muriel Ransome, Miss Florinne Brown, Mrs. Prentiss Selby.

MONDAY CLUB.

The members of the Monday Bridge Club enjoyed a pleasant gathering yesterday at the home of Mrs. J. R. Burnham on Lake street. Among those who participated were: Mrs. Edson F. Adams, Mrs. James G. Allen, Mrs. Robert S. Knight, Mrs. M. W. Kales, Mrs. John L. Howard, Mrs. Lillian Brown Everts, Mrs. Andrew Moseley, Mrs. Egbert Stone, Mrs. Minor Goodall, Mrs. Charles Houghton, Mrs. F. M. Hathaway, Miss Harriett Hall, Mrs. Charles Sutton, Mrs. Frank Brigham and Mrs. Hayward G. Thomas.

FIVE HUNDRED.

Miss Katherine Jackson was hostess yesterday at an enjoyable card party planned in honor of her sister, Mrs. Clyde Jackson, who is here on a visit. Miss Jackson, with her mother, are spending the winter at the Empire, across the bay, and the guest list yesterday included a number of friends from this side.

Among the players were: Miss Elsie Marwedel, Miss Florence Hush, Miss Elsa Schilling, Miss Loretta Burnham, Miss Downing, Miss Pearl King, Miss Jessie Fox, Miss Carolyn Oliver, Miss Anita Oliver, Miss Viva Nicholson, Miss Edith Gaskill, Miss Elsie Selby, Miss Bess Selby, Miss Chrissie Taft, Miss Jeanette Deal, Mrs. Cary Friedlander, Mrs. Walter Woods, Mrs. James G. Allen, Mrs. Horace Reed, Miss Gertrude Allen, Miss Edith McCabe and Miss Adelaide Brenlou of Los Angeles.

SURPRISE PARTY.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hamilton Rothberg, who last week removed from Watsonville to Oakland, were given an enjoyable surprise at their handsome new home, 518 Twenty-third street, Saturday evening. There were about thirty-five guests present, including fourteen young men from San Francisco, members of Company A, League of the Cross Cadets.

The hostesses were Mrs. Rothberg, Mrs. C. J. Raleigh, Mrs. L. O. Jacques and the Misses Edna Raleigh and Marjorie Hoagland.

The home was most artistically decorated, roses, ferns and white chrysanthemums having been used extensively. The large double parlors were thrown together, and dancing, games, vocal and instrumental music formed the evening's enjoyment. Mrs. Watkins and Will Raye furnished the music for the evening. A dainty little supper was served about 11 o'clock.

Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Raleigh, Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Rothberg, Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Jacques, Mr. and Mrs. V. Watkins, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hambleton, Mr. and Mrs. S. Rothberg, Mrs. G. M. Gansert, Miss Edna Raleigh, Miss Carrie Raleigh, Miss Marjorie Hoagland, Miss Minnie Middleton, O. H. Robertson, Charles E. Rogers, E. E. Francis, W. J. Lincham, W. H. Greene, B. C. Eagon, A. Larioletto, James Van Pelt, A. J. Schwingler, A. Linderman, G. O'Brien, Mr. Reudy, J. Spencer Rothberg, William Raye and George Delehanty.

INFORMAL LUNCHEON.

Mrs. Seth Mann will be hostess at one of the pleasant affairs of the week, an informal luncheon to be given tomorrow in honor of Mrs. John Tregloan. The guests for luncheon will include half a dozen old friends and as many more have been invited for the informal afternoon with cards.

WHIST TOURNAMENT.

A whist tournament is to be given by Oakland Lodge No. 262, O. B. B., tomorrow evening at the Utopian Club rooms, 462½ Thirteenth street.

PERSONALS.

The ladies of Fabiola Hospital announce that Miss Robinson, the graduate nurse from Worcester, Massachusetts, has come to Fabiola and will take charge of the dietary department. Miss Robinson has had varied experience in the large Eastern hospitals and is a valuable acquisition to the hospital here.

Secretary Victor H. Metcalf and Mrs. Metcalf are established at the Arlington in Washington, and will remain there for the winter.

Mrs. Egbert Stone, Mrs. George King and Mrs. Gerberding have postponed their visit to Mexico until the New Year.

Miss B. Cameron of this city is the guest of her cousin, Miss Blanche Cameron of Malakoff, near Nevada City.

H. W. Oliver was in Chico last week.

H. Bendel was a visitor in Stockton recently.

John Marcovich entertained a number of friends recently at a pleasant informal affair given at his home. The guests included Chief Gunner Thomas Shuttleworth, U. S. N., Mr. and Mrs. Reed, Dr. and Mrs. Hamlin and Miss Marcovich.

Miss Jeane Lubert is visiting in Santa Cruz.

Dr. Henry Sawyer was a recent guest in Santa Cruz.

Rufus R. Smith spent a day recently in Fresno.

John P. Miller was in Fresno recently on a business visit.

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GERMAN BIRTH RATE ON THE DECREASE

BERLIN, Dec. 6.—Official statistics covering twenty-six years show a steady and noticeable decrease in the birth rate in the large cities in Germany, in spite of the fact that the marriage rate is higher than in cities of less than 100,000 inhabitants and in the country. Berlin, which passed the 2,000,000 mark in December, presents the heaviest decrease in the birth rate. In the period from 1896 to 1900 it averaged 28.9 against 44.9 from 1875 to 1880. The highest birth rate is in the great industrial centers of the Rhenish provinces. In Essen the average is 47.7, in Dortmund 47.3, in Dusseldorf 41.7 and in Cologne 40.2. The marriage rate is highest in Berlin, 21.9, and in the other great cities it is 18.21 per thousand.

The statistical bureau points out that this portends a considerable falling off in the national birth rate, since the decline in the great cities with an increasing proportion of people and a high marriage rate are most important in the general effect.

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HONOR SYSTEM

Report Will Be Presented at Semi-Annual Students' Meeting.

BERKELEY, Dec. 6.—Next Friday morning at 11 a. m. the Associated Students of the University of California will hold their semi-annual meeting in Harmon Gymnasium.

At this assembly all the reports of committees for the year will be presented, discussed and adopted. The report of the honor system committee will be among those presented. If favorable, the report will be published for the approval of the general student body.

Graduate Manager Decoto will also present his report for the term. This will include a statement of the financial standing of the student body, namely, expenses of the athletic season, receipts of the games and profits.

TO GIVE A FREE LECTURE ON POMPEII

BERKELEY, December 6.—Drs. Price and O'Conner will give a series of stereopticon views of Pompeii to their classes in Latin tomorrow from 2 to 3 o'clock in room 22, South Hall. The public is invited.

GLEE CLUB READY FOR LONG TRIP

BERKELEY, Dec. 6.—On December 19th the Glee Club will leave Berkeley on its trip through the largest towns of Nevada and Northern California. Among the places at which the club will sing are Carson City, Virginia City, Reno, Auburn, Sacramento and Grass Valley.

On Wednesday evening at 7:45 o'clock a tryout for stunt men is to be held at Stiles' Hall. All students of the University who are capable of doing a vaudeville stunt are eligible to compete.

DECIDE ON DATE.

Carnot Debate Will Be Held at Stanford This Year.

BERKELEY, Dec. 6.—The date of the Carnot debate which will be held at Stanford this year has just been announced as Friday, February 3d.

Tryouts will be held immediately after the college opens. In case there should be both preliminaries and finals, the former will be held on Tuesday, January 17th, at 7:45 p. m. in Stiles' Hall and the latter on Friday, January 20th, at the same hour and place. The preliminaries on Tuesday, January 17th, will be finals if less than thirteen men enter, but on the other hand should there be more than twelve entries the preliminaries only will be held on this date.

The conditions for the tryouts will be the same as those which will prevail in the Carnot debate proper. The definite question will be announced and posted on the bulletin board of Stiles and North Halls two hours before the debate, in the case of both preliminaries and finals. The general question as already announced is: "The Relation of the Church to the State in France Since 1801."

Each speaker will be allowed one speech of ten minutes. Four will be selected from both preliminaries and finals.

BACK FROM SURVEY FOR THE GOVERNMENT.

BERKELEY, December 6.—H. E. Franks has just returned from Nevada, where he has completed an excellent land survey for the government. This work has extended over a period of six months, and was conducted by Mr. Franks, who, as the lowest bidder among ten competitors, received the contract. The survey covered varied kinds of territory including both plain land and mountainous districts. Several members of the party were college and high school students who were out for the experience to be gained.

REQUEST TOO BIG.

Prof. Hilgard Would Not Ask For Million Dollars.

BERKELEY, December 6.—Professor Eugene W. Hilgard, head of the agricultural department of the State University in his letter of transmittal submitting his annual report to President Benjamin Ide Wheeler has formally stated his opinion concerning the proposed bills for legislative appropriations for the new agricultural building and for a university farm, measures which are now being agitated by the farmers throughout the State. The utterance is particularly timely because the Regents' Committee on the agricultural experiment station meets to discuss this matter in President Wheeler's office next Saturday morning.

Professor Hilgard thinks it would be fatal to present bills to the Legislature calling for an expenditure of half a million for a new building, and of another half million for a farm. He would like to see both wants supplied in a more modest way. He insists also that he projected farm be situated close to the university and recommends that a location in either Contra Costa county or Alameda county would combine all advantages of nearness and fertility.

WILL ENJOY INCOME

By the decision of Judge Ogden yesterday afternoon, Luelen T. Gardiner and Helen E. Pearce will only enjoy the income from the $6,000 estate left by the late Adeline M. Sayle. The deceased left her property in trust to Major Charles Christensen, with the provision that he could give her sisters the income of the property, or turn the entire amount to them.

Judge Ogden held hat the last provision was illegal and fell under the same ruling as the clause in the late Fair estate and that he could only give them the income. The property afterwards to go to a grandchild.

TO OPEN LIBRARY.

Book Social Will Mark Opening Night of the Carnegie.

BERKELEY, December 6.—A provisional program for the opening night of the new Carnegie library building was arranged last evening at the regular meeting of the Board of Public Library Trustees. The affair will take place January 9 or 10 and there will be no formal dedication ceremony, the feature of the evening to consist of a book social.

The De Koven Club will give several numbers and Seekamp's orchestra will give several selections. A ladies' quartette will sing under the direction of Mrs. Sweesy.

Dr. J. Edson Kelsey, who was one of the founders of the library, will tell of its early history. Professor A. F. Lange will tell of later days while President Waterman of the library board will describe the acquirement of the Carnegie library.

The price of admission to the library on the opening night will be a book. For two weeks prior to the opening of the library all books will be called in and the circulation department will be closed for two weeks.

EIGHT THOUSAND CIRCULATION.

That the cold November nights are productive of a desire for the warm fireside and a book to read is shown by Librarian D. R. Moore's report for the month of November, which was accepted by the board. The report was as follows.

Circulation—Direct from library, 4159; through South Berkeley reading room, 542; through West Berkeley reading room, 482; total for November, 8163. Fiction, 70 per cent; other classes, 30 per cent.

Borrowers' cards—In force November 1, 1904, 3647; issued during November, 465; expired and surrendered, 402; in force December 1, 1904, 3690.

Accessions to library—By purchase, 42; gift, 35; total, 77. Number of days library and reading rooms open, 24.

Visitors to branch reading rooms—South Berkeley, 3812; daily average, 131 13-29; West Berkeley, 3480; daily average, 120.

LIST OF CLAIMS ALLOWED.

Warrants were ordered for the payment of the following list of bills presented by the finance committee: Ramos & Renas, $6.05; F. F. Sadler, $32.36; R. J. Machen, $26; O. C. Beardsle, $5; O. E. Reynolds, $1.15; Contra Costa Water Co., $1.50; Mabel Weed, $60; Alice C. Whitbeck, $60; Gertrude W. Littlejohn, $50; Joshua Cole, $50; Schmit & Zebner $1.80; W. R. Dickieson, $40; A. C. Weinberg, $3; Rosa M. Shattuck, $40; D. R. Moore, $125; Adam Guenther, $17; John M. Foy, $15; Percival Stedman, $40; C. Pedersen, $5; Payot, Upham & Co., $11.85; John Sunderman, $1.25, Berkeley Electric Lighting Co., $25.

STUDIES IN NATURE

Conference to Be Held at the University Saturday.

BERKELEY, Dec. 6.—A conference on nature study in the elementary schools, with especial reference to the study of agriculture, will be held next Saturday morning at the State University.

The meeting will last from 10 o'clock to noon and addresses will be made by Professor E. W. Hilgard, Professor W. J. V. Osterhout and Professor E. E. Brown. Teachers, school officers and others interested are invited to be present and participate in the discussion.

At this meeting three resolutions will be proposed relating to the encouragement of nature study through legislative provision for a central bureau of information, as well as for the special training of teachers and supervisors, the whole object being to systematize the instruction in this branch, making it more coherent and effective. Especially is it wanted to bring the teaching of nature study in country schools to a higher standard, so that the children will gain a more definite knowledge of agriculture and agricultural pursuits. At present at least three States in the Union are doing highly advanced work in this regard—New York, with Cornell University as a center; Wisconsin and Minnesota.

TRAIN MEMORY AT UNIVERSITY

BERKELEY, December 6.—In addition to the regular hours in the course in assimilative memory at the University, there will be meetings in room 26, Civil Engineering building, for the twenty minutes before 8 o'clock on Tuesday and Thursday mornings, for training in the use of the memory and for suggestions as to the use of the principles learned in their application to particular cases. This plan will be continued in the second term.

The lectures this week will review the methods for memorizing prose (definitions) and give practical suggestions for the method of preparation and study for the coming examinations.

CLAIMS SILVER.

Mrs. E. A. Barrie is Making a Fight For Property.

BERKELEY, December 6.—Mrs. E. A. Barrie, whose husband is suing her for a divorce in the Oakland courts, is making a bitter fight for personal property in Justice Edgar's court.

The silverware is plated and its value was set at $38.50. Barrie, who makes his home with his sister, Mrs. Margaret Wade, at 2601 Fulton street, holds the articles under dispute, claiming that they are common property.

After an inventory of the goods was read an adjournment was taken until December 29th, the court ordering that an appraisement be made meanwhile of the property under dispute.

Mrs. Barrie was represented by Attorney H. Digby Johnston and Lin Church appeared for Barrie. The only witnesses called were Herbert Harris, San Francisco, agent for a New York lace house and A. R. Sorensen, a Berkeley merchant, both of whom testified as to the value of the household goods.

BOY IS LOCATED

BERKELEY, December 6.—Harvey Hart, the 17-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence M. Hart of 3651 Hillegas avenue, whose penchant for running away from home has given his parents no end of trouble during the last two months, has been located in Los Banos after a three weeks' absence from Berkeley. The lad was taken into custody last Saturday night by a Los Banos Constable, who today wired Marshal Kerns of the arrest.

Mrs. Hart was notified and she is now making preparations to leave for the southern city and bring her son home. She declares that the youth has a mania for leaving home, but that she will constantly watch him in the future.

Two months ago, the precocious traveler created considerable consternation in his household by mysteriously disappearing. After a five weeks' absence he was located in Salinas. He was returned home, but had been there but a few days when he ran away again.

QUENCH THIRST.

University Authorities Erect Fountains About the Campus.

BERKELEY, December 6.—The movement which has so long been agitated to have drinking fountains placed about the campus is at last bearing fruit. Under the direction of Superintendent Bolton five of these fountains are to be installed immediately and others will be placed later at different points on the grounds.

The first of the five was placed yesterday near the Le Conte oak. The remaining four will be located as follows. One near the library, another in the palm gardens, a third near Hearst Hall and the last near the gymnasium. These fountains have been a long felt need to the students especially in the warmer months of the college term. Several classes and individuals have at different times proposed to erect elaborate fountains but these have never materialized and the fountains now being installed will be welcomed even though they are not elaborate.

A more pretentious fountain will be erected in honor of the late armorer, John Mitchell, but nothing will be done in this direction until next term.

PRYTANEANS WILL INITIATE TONIGHT

BERKELEY, December 6.—Tonight the Prytaneans, the women's honor society, will initiate the following prominent women from the junior and senior classes. Florence Parker, '05, Mabel Downs, '05; Gladys Meyer, '06, Bertine Wollenberg, '06; Helen Parker, '06; Flora Frickstadt, '05.

PROFESSOR INSPECTS THE STATE HIGH SCHOOLS.

BERKELEY, December 6.—Professor W. Scott Thomas of the University spent last week in Redlands making his annual inspection of the Redlands High School. In addition to his connection with the University, Professor Thomas also occupies the position of High School Inspector, of which he is the first incumbent, having been elected thereto two years ago when the office was created.

Professor Thomas was in San Bernardino Monday and Tuesday, where he was principal of the San Bernardino High School, before coming to the University.

HAYWARDS, SAN LEANDRO, EMERYVILLE, FRUITVALE, GOLDEN GATE

TRUSTEES HOLD A MEETING

ORDINANCE TO STOP DUMPING OF OAKLAND'S GARBAGE IN ALAMEDA.

ALAMEDA, December 6.—The Board of City Trustees, at the regular meeting held last evening, passed the ordinance prohibiting the importation of garbage from Oakland or any other city and determining the location of Bay Farm Island where local garbage or waste matter may be deposited. There was a long fight over the garbage question, but when the matter came up finally for action there was no discussion. Trustee William M. Bowers moved the passage of the ordinance, seconded by Trustee Combs, and it was so ordered.

Mr. Combs, chairman of the Street Committee, stated that the city's windmills and tank at the foot of Willow street on the bay shore, which had been the cause of much complaint from residents in the vicinity, had been taken down and moved away. The action of the committee was approved.

A communication was received from G. E. Stelzvater complaining about the oil-burning engines on the South Shore line of the Southern Pacific Company. He declared that the oil created a nuisance. The matter was referred to a committee.

It was decided to secure a new water supply for the electric light works by sinking another well in the lower end of the park. The well now in use is so close to the bay that the water is found to be impregnated with salts, affecting the boilers in the light works. It was resolved to dispose of a quantity of old machinery and junk at the works and to use the proceeds to provide a repair machine shop.

City Attorney M. W. Simpson was instructed to draw up an ordinance to change the name of Railroad avenue to Lincoln avenue, of which it is properly an extension. On motion of Trustee Bowers the Light Committee was authorized to employ a clerk in the Light Department's office in the City Hall at a small salary, not to exceed $20 a month. There are now 700 consumers and the additional work overtaxes the force.

The allowance of $35 for the month of November was withheld from Whidden Hose Company after the matter had been referred to the City Attorney, and will not be paid until the members of the volunteer company, which disbanded at the end of the month return ten chairs and a table taken from the firehouse. The articles, it is alleged, are the property of the city and not of the volunteer firemen.

The following paid "call" men were appointed for Hose Company 2 (formerly Whidden Hose): E. J. Probst, foreman; L. C. Lenz, Henry Reichsrata and C. G. Bishop. For Hose Company No. 3, on Sherman street, the paid men named are: Walter Steinmetz, foreman; Sam Josephs, Howard Simpson and George Wulzen. Thompson Hose Company No. 1 is now the sole remaining volunteer organization.

ANNUAL MEETING.

ALAMEDA, December 6.—Tomorrow evening the Alameda Unitarian Club is to hold its ninth annual meeting. An election of officers will be held and during the evening the members will be entertained with an enjoyable program. Fred J. O'Connell, who is a favorite in topical songs, is to give some ragtime melodies and other specialties. George Tessio will perform feats in legerdemain. Walls and Blunett, colored singers, will present a skit, in costume, the Rehersal for the Road. Rollin C. Ayers, a well known monologist, is programmed for "A Dry Scientific Discourse, the Art of Story Telling; with Suggestions how to Tell a Story; Illustrated by Stories." The program announces these numbers will be "quiet in tone," and enjoins the audience to preserve a grave demeanor, and to refrain from undue levity," adding "If you don't want to smoke, you don't have to." On the following meeting of the club, on the 21st instant, the evening will be devoted to a consideration of the topic of "Prison Reform," the speakers being Professor E. C. Moore, of the University of California and Robert M. Fitzgerald, member of the Board of State Prison Commissioners.

ADELPHIANS MEET.

ALAMEDA, December 6.—The music section of the Adelphian Club held an interesting session this morning at 10 o'clock the affair being arranged by the new curator, Mrs. J. R. Sloan. There was a discussion of current events in the musical world. Mrs. H. A. Hebard spoke on the composers chosen for the occasion, Constantine Sternberg and Franz Liszt. The following musical numbers were rendered: (a) Polka, impromptu (Sternberg), (b) waltz, "Lente" (Sternberg), Mrs. Florence Trost; song, "Katherine's Peanis" (Hawley), Mrs. S. Montgomery Hassett; (a) "Serenade (Sternberg), (b) "Polonaise" (Sternberg), Mrs. Trost; "Le Preludes" for two pianos (Liszt), Mrs. Trost and Mrs. Grace Scotchler.

POLICE REPORTS.

ALAMEDA, December 6.—Chief of Police John Conrad has filed his report of arrests in November, as follows: Violating city ordinances, 8; drunk, 4; disturbing the peace, 2; vagrancy, 3; total, 17. The number of arrests for the month was unusually low.

Thirty-three meals and two lodgings were furnished at the City Prison. For business licenses $43.75 was collected, and for dog tags, $43.20, a total of $88.95.

PERSONALS.

ALAMEDA, December 6.—Miss L. Rachen, who recently returned after a European tour, is to receive her friends tomorrow at 1821 San Antonio avenue.

August Hinrichs, who left some time ago for Los Angeles, to benefit the health of his little son, is to return on Thursday.

Constable George . Clark of Alameda township is able to be about after a serious illness, caused by a severe fall while at work on his residence on Pearl street.

Senator E. K. Taylor left this morning in his launch with a party of friends for a hunting trip to the marshes of San Mateo county.

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VAUDEVILLE SHOW IS GIVEN.

PERFORMANCE AND DANCE TAKE PLACE IN RED MEN'S HALL.

ELMHURST, December 6.—A pleasant evening was passed last night at Red Men's Hall, where the Golden State Vaudeville Company gave an entertainment. The large audience was well pleased with the performance, which included many interesting and amusing productions.

A specialty was made of moving pictures, the set entitled "Faust and Marguerite" proving to be a spirited reproduction of Goethe's great masterpiece. The Robinsons, in their comedy sketch, "Massa Peter," were good.

Following the performance was a social dance, to which a large number of the spectators remained.

BALL TEAM DISBANDS.

Last week the T. P. Elms dissolved to await the coming of spring. Three of the best players now hold positions on the Carroll Rye team of Twenty-third avenue. Theyare H. Fleming, Charles and Reuben Kleupfer.

There has been some discussion about the formation of a football eleven, but as yet the project is in its

STUDY OF CO-EDUCATION.

ITHACA, N. Y., December 6.—Two members of the International Council for the Promotion of Women's Education, Ernestina and Elvira Lopez of the Argentine Republic have arrived at Cornell, where they will study the system of co-education of women. They will remain as students in the University for several weeks, when they will go to Harvard to study the system there.

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FT. BAKER TEAM DEFEATED

SPORTSMEN CONQUER VISITORS IN HARD FOUGHT BASEBALL GAME.

SAN LEANDRO, December 6.—Again the Sportsmen conquered in a close and exciting struggle on the San Leandro diamond. With a score of 5 to 4 they beat the nine from Fort Baker Sunday. The visitors got all their runs in the first two innings, having 4 to 0 until the fourth. At the close of the eighth inning the score stood even, 4 to 4. Ase the Fort Bakers went to bat the excitement was intense but they were unable to make a run despite their desperate efforts. The Sportsmen sent up "Lefty" O'Banlon, their pitcher, and he succeeded in getting around the circle before any one was out.

Except the steady good work of the players on both sides and the evenness of the score there was little remarkable about the game. Welch, the visitors' twirler, and O'Banlon, each struck out eleven, both doing unusually fine work. Ellis, the Sportsmen's catcher, deserves credit for stopping some very difficult benders at critical times.

Next Sunday the same teams will again compete.

CAMPING TRIP TAKEN.

Several of the well known young men of San Leandro made a short expedition last week. Among the campers were Frank Frates, Joe Buck and Joe Miller. They started Friday morning, going by cart to the ranch of William Oakes, near Sunol.

They had a fine time hunting, visiting the snow line and riding horseback races. Several squirrels and thirty-nine quail were bagged on the trip. They returned Sunday afternoon.

JUNIOR GORMANS PLAY.

Sunday morning the Junior Gorman nine played a game with the Phoenix team from St. Mary's College, Oakland. The contest was held on the San Leandro field, the home nine gaining the victory with a score of 2 to 1. Their battery consisted of Rogers and Garcia, while Haley and Smith performed the duties of that position for the visitors. The game was close and exciting from start to finish. One three-bagger was hit by Leslie Burnett. His brother Chester made a difficult catch in the fifth inning against the fence in left field.

LOCAL.

H. F. Grebe of this town has lately been entertaining several visitors from the North.

I. C. Clutter, who stopped here with his friend a few days on his way home from the World's Fair, departed Sunday evening for Tualatin, Oregon.

Mr. Weaver, of Shasta county, stopped with Mr. Grebe a few days, leaving last night for San Jose to attend the fruit-growers' convention there.

RECEPTION HELD BY LODGE

LARUKA COUNCIL HOLDS AN ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

FRUITVALE, December 6.—Laruka Council No. 4, Degree of Pocahontas, held a reception and banquet last night. Masonic Hall was the scene of the jollification, which lasted until after midnight. Interesting addresses were given by Mrs. Annie M. Bliss, great Pocahontas, Mrs. Mina Rew, past great Pocahontas, and Mrs. Minnie Betts, great prophetess. Other high officers of the order were expected, but failed to come.

The election of officers for the ensuing term occurred after the speech making. The following officers were chosen: Mrs. L. Swenson, Pocahontas; Mrs. C. Dixon, prophetess; Miss H. Kruger, Wenonah; and William Finley, Powhattan.

When the officers elect had been installed a pleasant supper was partaken of. A few toasts were proposed, during and after the meal to the guests and the members just chosen for special honors.

M'KINLEY CLUB TO GIVE CONCERT

BERKELEY, December 6.—An unusually pretentious musicale will be given by the Glee Club of the McKinley School next Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. The school singers will be assisted by Mrs. J. M. Pierce, soprano; Miss Eva Navone, pianist, S. D. Waterman, basso, and Miss M. Miller, accompanist.

The following will be the program:

PART I

(a) The Woods ..... Arr. from Sattler
(b) Noel ..... Adams
McKinley Glee Club.
Ballade, Op 47 ..... Chopin
Miss Eva Navone.
Schubert's Serenade (violin obligato) ....
McKinley Glee Club.
Irish, Scotch and English Balade.....
Mrs. J. M. Pierce.
(a) Our Jack ..... H. Trotere
Basses of Glee Club.
(b) Silent Night ..... M. Haydn
Seven boys of Glee Club.
Mandolin and Guitar Selection .....
Rudy and Goldie Hulin
(a) The Happy Miller ... G. A. Veazie Jr.
(b) My Country ..... Koschat
McKinley Glee Club.

PART II.

(a) O'er the Waters ..... Edwin Rowley
(b) The Moon and Her Children...F. Abt
McKinley Glee Club
Violin Solo...Slumber Song by Scuhmann
Lilian Devendorf.
Nazareth ..... Gounod
McKinley Glee Club.
The Friar of Orders Grey ..... Shield
Mrs. S. D. Waterman.
(a) The Lost Chord .... Arthur Sullivan
(b) Hark, the Sound of Evening Bells..
..... F. Mendelssohn
Girls of Glee Club.
Piano Solo ..... Tarantella by Mills
Alice Redwill.
The Spinner ..... Henry Clapp
Old Year, Good-night .....
McKinley Glee Club.

ANNUAL BAZAAR IS HELD.

AFFAIR GIVEN BY LADIES OF HAYWARDS CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

HAYWARDS, December 6.—This afternoon the ladies of the Congregational Church are holding their annual bazaar in the church parlors. Everything is going on nicely and large receipts are reported already from the various tables and booths.

Decorations of paper and grains greatly improve the appearance of the apartments. Refreshments, fancy goods and useful articles are sold at the booths. Tonight will be given a musical entertainment in addition to the other attractions.

In charge of the tables are the following members of the Aid Society:

Fancy Table—Miss Kimball, Miss Miner, the Misses Walpert.

Useful Articles—Mrs. L. Linekin, Miss Newbold, Mrs. Hamer and Mrs. F. D. Hoyt.

Delicacy Table—Mrs. M. J. Madison, Mrs. Obermuller and Miss Dorothy Brown.

Candy and Refreshments—Mrs. Warren, Mrs. Kennard, Mrs. Grindell, Mrs. Barge and Mrs. Darling.

Fish Pond—Miss Naylor, Miss Bernice Graham and Misses Madison.

VERDICT IS RENDERED.

Deputy Coroner Grindell swore in a jury to sit on the case of J. Brenton Clark, found dead in Mt. Eden marsh, and yesterday the jurors were convened by Coroner H. B. Mehrmann at the Haywards morgue. Frank Treat, who found the corpse, and C. S. Clark brother of the deceased, were present as witnesses. The doctor testified that he had made an autopsy Saturday morning and believed the cause of death to be heart failure and congestion of the lungs.

The finding of the jury was that death had occurred from heart failure. Following are the names of the members: Foreman, William Stanton; James Curdy, G. H. Golden, Richard Allen, Ned O'Neil and Fred Sims.

The body was shipped Saturday afternoon to San Francisco. Yesterday afternoon the funeral took place under the auspices of the Theatrical Union, of which deceased was a member.

HAYWARDS MEETS DEFEAT.

Eleven boys from the Haywards public schools went to Pleasanton for a football game Sunday. Their opponents gained the victory with a score of 11 to 0. The average weight of the players was a little above 100 pounds.

COLLEGE ORCHESTRA WILL ENTERTAIN

BERKELEY, December 6.—The University of California orchestra, under the direction of H. M. Maxwell, will give a grand concert tonight at Hearst Hall, the last one of the term.

The society has been giving a number of very successful concers of late, but according to the program, this evening's affair should eclipse them all.

The following is the program:

PART I.

1. Thomas, "Raymond" .....Overture
2. Roff, "Lenore" .....Symphonic (Farewell movement)
3. Gounod "Faust" ..... Ballet music
   (a) Tempo di Valse
   (b) Adagio
   (c) Allegretto
   (d) Moderato Maestoso
4. Gillet, "In the Mill" ....Tone poem (Strings)
5. Schrwenker, "Polish Dance" .....Opus No 1

PART II

6. Massenet, "Scenes Pittoresque" .....Suite
   (a) March
   (b) Angelus
7. De Broit .....12 Air Varie
8. Verdi, "Rigoletto" .....Quartet
9. Strauss, "Artist's Life" .....Waltz

BERKELEY STILL BUSY BUILDING.

BERKELEY, December 6.—Work on a large number of new buildings continues unabated in the college town.

F. H. Lawton has completed the construction of four modern residences at Channing way and Grove street. Two of these he has sold, the deal being completed before the dwellings were fully finished.

Alma Galbraith has entered into a contract for the construction of a two-story frame dwelling on Garber street near Piedmont avenue. The cost will be $2,234.

Frank M. May is building for Mary P. Du Bose a two-story shingled frame dwelling in the Berry-Bangs tract at a cost of $2,397.

Eva L. Dick is having a two-story house erected on Howe street at a cost of $2000 and a two-story building on Russell street for the same amount.

Annie L. Steele is the owner of a two-story house that is being erected on Delaware street near Milvia street at an outlay of $2417.

A two-story frame dwelling is being built by Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Cherry on Hermann street near Adeline at a cost of $2,562.

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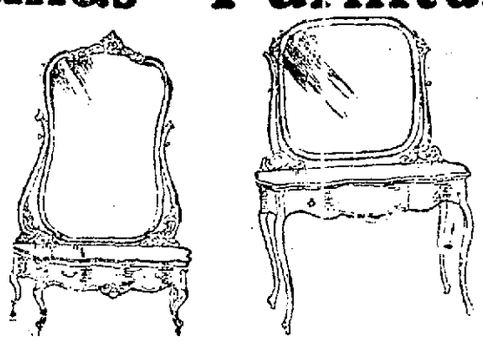

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PLEASANTON, December 6.—The holiday opening and promenade contert held Saturday afternoon, was Arendt & Co., held Saturday afternoon of the largest affairs ever held here. Over a thousand people called during the afternoon and viewed the beautiful new store in its holiday attire. Victor's orchestra, from Oakland, furnished fine music from 2 o'clock until 5, which was much enjoyed by the large crowds of people. While Santa Claus kept the little folks busy with his many good things to eat in the grocery department delicious coffee was served to every one.

LOS ALISOS ENTERTAINS.

Los Alisos Circle, Women of Woodcraft, gave an enjoyable social last night in Odd Fellows' Hall. An excellent program was rendered, including a Christmas tree with Santa Claus. Refreshments were served during the evening. The following ladies had charge of the affair: Mrs. Lee Wells, Mrs. William Martin and Mrs. C. Powell.

NEW PLANT.

C. W. Morse, the new butcher here, has such a large business he will soon put in a cold storage plant and a fine butcher shop, which will be finished the latter part of January.

FOOTBALL GAME.

The football game Sunday afternoon between Haywards and Pleasanton was largely attended, and one of the finest games ever played here. The game was won by the Pleasantons, the score being 11 to 0. This is the second time Pleasanton has defeated Haywards.

PERSONALS.

Dr. and Mrs. Logan Colestock have taken up their residence in their new home on Angela street.

Beet hauling is finished for this year, twenty thousand pounds having been shipped from here.

Miss Mary Cope is spending some time in San Jose.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Peck are visiting in San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McDougall went to Oakland Sunday for a few days' visit.

Mrs. N. T. Nelson left Sunday for Salinas where she will spend Christmas with relatives.

Miss Annie Harms is home from a visit in San Jose.

Miss Mollie Jones and Miss Christine Lawrence left Sunday for a visit to Napa City.

Mr. and Mrs. Marx of San Francisco spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Alfred Arendt.

Ed Mills left Saturday for a business trip to Seattle.

WILL LECTURE ON HEARST MARBLES

BERKELEY, December 6.—The Art Association has arranged for a lecture next Thursday evening by Dr. Alfred Emerson.

The subject of this lecture will be "The Hearst Collection of Marbles." Dr. Emerson, who has lately been appointed curator of classical antiquities and assistant to the director of the Chicago Art Institute, is considered an authority upon works of art. This will probably be his last appearance in the West for quite a while, as he leaves shortly for the East to take up his new duties. The opportunity to hear him is seldom offered and President Wheeler is very desirous of a large attendance.

Dr. Emerson will discuss the statuary from various points of view. Most of these works of art are from Greece and Rome, and as they will be reproduced by stereopticon pictures, the lecture will undoubtedly prove to be very interesting.

The address will be given at Hearst Hall and will commence promptly at 8 p. m. Admission will be by tickets, which are free to the students of the University.

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WOMAN ACCUSED OF FRAUD

Government Will Attack Her in Trial of Land Cases.

PORTLAND, Or., December 6.—The trial of the second of the land fraud cases will commence December 13. This case is based on indictments against S. A. D. Puter, Horace G. McKinley, Mrs. Emma L. Watson and Marie L. Ware. The charge is similar to that in the first case—conspiracy to defraud the government of public land.

When this case is called there will enter into the public eye the names of six persons whom the government declares are fictitious. These names are Robert G. Truman, Frank H. Hearne, William H. Watkins, James E. Warwick, Robert L. Simpson and Samuel L. Carson.

Upon Miss Ware, who came out of the present trial unscathed because the government did not prove her complicity in the alleged acts of conspiracy it is understood the government will center its attack. In this case are involved a number of signatures which are alleged to have been forged but in this case instead of its being merely the names of dummies it is stated the government will show that Miss Ware, while acting as United States Commissioner used the name of R. W. Montague, former deputy county clerk of Linn county and admitted to proof alleged fictitious and bogus somesteaders. The government will endeavor to show that as a result of her alleged unlawful acts the proof of settlement and necessary affidavits were apparently perfected and sent to Washington for the purpose of procuring patents to the land.

These acts are alleged to have taken place during the year 1901 and involve lands in the Cascade forest reserve lying about 20 miles easterly from the town of Cottage Grove, Or.

The basis of the third case which is on the trial docket for this term of court is forgery. It is an outgrowth of the preceding case. In this action the defendants will be Horace G. McKinley, Marie A. Ware and S. A. D. Puter. The forgery charges which will be incidental in the second case will become the major counts in this case. Mrs. Watson's alleged complicity was not so well known to the United States District Attorney.

Two more cases of forgery are included in the land fraud indictments. These have not been set for trial, though it is very likely that they will be before this term of court ends. These are the case of the Government vs. S. A. D. Puter and Guy Huff; and of the Government against Horace G. McKinley alone.

Huff and Puter are accused of having forged the name of James Robinson to a homestead proof. McKinley is charged with having forged the name of eGorge E. Taylor to a non-mineral affidavit. The lands affected in both these cases also lie a few miles easterly from Cottage Grove.

SENIOR WOMEN HOLD A BANQUET

BERKELEY, December 6.—The senior women held a very enjoyable and successful banquet in Hearst Hall Friday evening which was attended by about 70 women of the class. After the banquet the evening was spent in dancing. Miss Florence Parker acted as toastmaster and the following were the toasts:

"President and Mrs. Wheeler," by Miss Ethel Richardson; "Mrs. Hearst," by Miss Elizabeth Frazer; "Our Sunny Gym," by Miss Edith Nichols; "Our Senior Men Served as They Should Be" by Miss Nellie McCarthy; "College Spirit," by Miss Florence Dodge; "Senior Bachelor Maid," by Miss Sybil Jones; "Chocolate and Fudge (with apologies to Beer and Bacon)," by Miss Huskey; "Our College" by Miss Alma Barnett.

The hall was very prettily decorated in the class colors, green. Among the pretty features was the wearing of the cap and gown by those giving toasts. The place cards were original and unique.

SIS HOPKINS.

"Ridy Scarboro" the leading male character in "Sis Hopkins" in which Miss Rose Melville is appearing again this season, is a type of young country lawyers, not uncommon in the West. He is clean and has high ideals. Single-handed and in spite of opposition he fights the fight of decency and honesty and wins by sheer force of character—the character which made Lincoln and Garfield, and he appeals to the audience as fitting "Ma" Hopkins' words of praise: "He's jest like Abe Lincoln." "Sis Hopkins" is to be at the Macdonough Theater for two nights and a matinee this week, next Friday and Saturday and seats are now on sale at popular prices for the evenings and at bargain prices for the matinee.

The Sunday attraction at the Macdonough for a matinee and a night performance next Sunday is Lewis & Brown's big spectacular production of the everlasting "Ten Nights In a Bar Room" with a big brass band and orchestra and many new novelties never introduced before in a production of this kind. They give a street parade in which they promise more features than a circus. Seats are now on sale for the two performances at popular prices.

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NEWS FROM S. P. YARDS

NEW SMOKING CARS TO BE PUT ON—ITEMS OF INTEREST.

WEST OAKLAND YARDS, December 6.—To comply with a popular desire on the part of the public for smoking cars on either end of the local trains, twelve cars are now being divided into two equal compartments, one of which will be for the use of passengers desiring to smoke, the other for those who do not. These cars will be distributed among the Alameda, Berkeley and Seventh street local train and there will then be accommodations for smokers at each end of the local trains. It is expected that the cars will be ready for use by the first of the year and the inovation will be welcomed by many patrons of the road.

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BIG DYNAMO ARRIVES.

A new fifty horse-power dynamo was received at the machine shops Saturday and will be put up in a few days.

NOTES OF INTEREST.

Robert Yates, the popular foreman of the machine shops, took today off for the purpose of meeting his sister whom he expects to arrive from the East.

John Britt, a machinist in the tool room, spent yesterday hunting and bagged the limit in ducks which he generously distributed this morning among his friends throughout the yards.

Work is being reported as being decidedly brisk in all departments and a number of mechanics have been added the past weeks. There is now a full force of men in all the shops and plenty of work for all to do.

M. I. Spenser, the clerk of the store department is spending a three-days' vacation hunting along the Sacramento river.

S. Pendergast, shipper in the car department, left Saturday night on a vacation of four days.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

METROPOLE—Mabel Deane, Daisy Dale, New York; Harry W. Foster, Seattle; Howard Bailey, Omaha, M. E. Carlisle, F. R. Comstock, Clarence Harvey, Arthur Dunne, Bessie Franklyn, New York; H. W. Rolfe, Stanford University; A. S. Holman, San Francisco; C. H. O'Brien, Chicago; J. R. Fleming, Indianapolis, A. A. Stuffacher, Zion City, E. R. Fearing, wife and child, Boston.

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VALUABLE JEWELS REPORTED STOLEN.

NEW YORK, December 6.—Jewels valued at $10,000 are reported to have been stolen from the apartments of J. K. Weiner, a wealthy merchant in Manhattan Square near Seventy-seventh street. The jewels were the property of Mrs. Weiner and her daughter. They were left in a secret repository while the family were driving and were not missed for some hours.

The apartment apparently had been entered by the use of duplicate keys as there were no signs of the burglary except about the jewel casket which had been forced open. City detectives who have searched the pawnshops have thus far found no clew to the thieves or the missing gems. They attribute the robbery to a gang of sneak thieves who have recently made many rich hauls on the upper West Side in this city.

VALUABLE PAINTING.

NEW YORK, December 6.—A full-length portrait of Baron Arnold Leroy, executed by the great painter Anton Van Dyck, has been presented by Geo. A. Hearn to the Metropolitan Museum of this city. It is valued at $45,000 and regarded as one of the most important and interesting examples of the great Dutch painter. The canvas was imported about two and a half years ago. It was probably painted about 1625 and belongs to the artists so-called Genoise period.

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A. A. MOORE, Attorney-at-Law, cor. California and Montgomery sts., San Francisco, Cal.; tel. Bush 827.

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Dairy, choice ... 14 @16
Store ... 10 @12
California Storage ... 18 @21
Eastern Creamery ... 17 @19

EGGS—Per doz.
Ranch, selected ... 37 @38
Ranch, good to fancy ... 34 @36
Store ... nominal
California Storage ... 27 @32½
Eastern, extra ... 26 @28
Eastern, standards ... 23 @25
Eastern, seconds ... 20 @22

CHEESE—Per lb.
California, mild new, extra 14 @15
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HAY—Per ton: New crop Wheat, $10.00@14.00, Wheat and Oat, $10@13.50; Oat, $8@12.50, Barley $9@11, Clover, $7@9, Alfalfa, $9@11.50, Stock, $5.50@7.

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BEANS—Prices per ctl. for sound selections. Large White, $2.50@2.60; small do $2@3.25, Pea, $3.25@3.50; Lima $4.00@4.30, Red $4.50@4.75, Pink, $2.85@2.95; Bayo, $2.65@2.85, Blackeyes, $2.50@2.60, Kidneys, $4.50@4.65, Horse beans, $2.25@2.50. Rain damaged lots of all descriptions offering, from 50c@$2 ctl. below foregoing figures.

SEEDS—Prices per ct. Yellow Mustard, $1.75@4, Trieste, $4.75@5.25, Canary imported, $6.50@7, Hemp, $3.50, Flax, $2.75, Rape, $2@2.50, Timothy, $5, Alfalfa, California, $15.50@16, do, Utah, $15.50@16 to arrive.

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Chicago, December 5.—No. 1 Flaxseed, $1.15, No. 2 Northwestern, $1.23, Prime Timothy Seed, $2.70

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GAME—Per doz. Wild Ducks, Canvasback, $2@6; Mallard, $5@6, Sprig, $2.75@3.00, Teal $1.25, Redheads, $1.50@2.50, Widgeon $1.50@1.75, small Gray Geese, $2@3, White, $1@1.75; small, $1.50; Honkers $3@5, English Snipe, $3, Common Snipe, $1.50, Hare, $1.75@1.50, Rabbits, cotton-tail, $-, do, Brush, $1.50; Doves, $1.25.

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Pears—Per box, Winter Nellis, $1.25@1.75, cooking varieties, 65c@$1.00.

Grapes—Per box or crate, 50@85c; open boxes, nominal

Figs—Per box, nominal

BERRIES—Per chest: Strawberries, large varieties, $4.00@6.00, Longworths, $1.75@1. Huckleberries, per lb., 9@11c; Cranberries, Coos Bay, per box $2.50@3.00; Cape Cod, per bbl, late varieties, $10.00@11.00.

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TROPICAL FRUITS—Bananas, per bunch Hawaiian, $1@1.75, Bluefields, $2@3; Pineapples, per doz. Hawaiian, $2@3.50; Florida, $1.50@2.50 as to size; Dates Fard, per lb., 7@9c; do, Golden, 6@6½c

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OFFICIAL RECORDS.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1904.

DEEDS.

December 3, 1904—F J and Dell C Woodward (wife) to Mary C McDonald (wife William), Oakland, lots 20, 24, 26, 30 and 32, block B, University Park near University, QCD; $5.

December 2, 1904—Adaline S or Adeline or Adeline S Shanklin (widow) to J H W Riley, Oakland, W Madison street, 96 N Tenth, N 19 by W 100, block 139, Kellersberger's map; $10.

May 27, 1903—Martha E and John J Cohen to William Devereaux, Oakland, N Alcatraz avenue, 420 W Shattuck avenue, W 41 by N 120; $10.

November 9, 1904—Frank M Wilson to Almeric Coxhead, Berkeley, lot 9 and W one-half lot 11, block 19, Daley's Scenic Park 75 on Ridge road by 140, deed and agreement $10.

November 9, 1904—Same to Robert N Frick, Berkeley, beginning at SE corner lot 12, block 19, thence N along E line lot 12 and prolongation thereof to Le Conte avenue, E to Bonte avenue, S along same to an intersection with an E extension of S line lots 14 and 16, W to beginning, lot hereby conveyed includes lots 14 and 16, block 19, Daley's Scenic Park, and all land between said lots and Le Conte and Bonte avenues as lines said avenues now exist, conveyance is a quitclaim so far as same may convey any part of streets or avenues on said map, first party reserves right to divert water from stream, etc., deed and agreement, $10

November 19, 1904—Lucie Beebee Butters and Henry A Butters (husband) to Thomas P and Herman R Lauffer (both single), Berkeley, N Delaware, 280 E Grant, E 40 by N 135 4½, portion lot 8, block 4, State University Homestead Association, etc., No 4, $10

November 15, 1904—B Kelsey (trustee) to Benjamin F and Eliza A Sargent, Berkeley, lots 31 and 32, block 5, map resubdivision block 6, Antisell tract, QCD; $5.

November 18, 1904—The Realty Syndicate to Marie A Marsh (wife Franklin P), Berkeley, lot 16 and S 30 feet lot 17, block 15, McGee tract, portion plot 67, etc., $10.

December 2, 1904—Myra Knox (widow) to Louis Pfund, Brooklyn township, NW Goldman avenue, 60 NE Tobler, NE 34 14 by NW 125, lot 41 and SW 4 14 lot 40, Fruitvale Park; $10

November 14, 1904—Mary A Barracks et al to San Francisco Home Mutual Loan Association, Brooklyn township, intersection SE Orchard avenue with NE line county road 1525 Oakland to San Leandro, NE 154, SE 75, SW 118, NW 75 89, lot 4 and portion lot 8, Searles tract, deed given to correct description 927 D 437; $1622

December 1, 1904—San Francisco Home Mutual Loan Association (corporation) to A Neuvohner, Brooklyn township, same $10

December 3, 1904—A and Sara or Sarar Neavohner to Adolph and Barbara Busch, Brooklyn township same $10.

December 1, 1904—Elizabeth H and Julius A Remmel (husband) to Charles A Hooper, Alameda, E Hawthorne, 273 2 S San Antonio avenue, S 100 by E 108, portion lot 4, lands Teutonia Park and Homestead Association; $2600.

December 1, 1904—San Francisco and Fresno Land Company (corporation) to Joseph R Gomez, Oakland, W Union, 223.6 N Twenty-sixth street, N 39 by W 115, block S-148, $500.

Dec 2, 04—John and Margaret Murray to Guiseppe Tachella and Emanuel Molando, Oakland, N 13th 230.45 E Center, E 25 x N 104.5 lot 27 blk 579 map Base Ball Grounds 14th and Center, $10.

Oct 21, 04—Ch E or Charles E and Anna J A Hope to Charles J McManus (single) Oakland, N 19th 146 E Castro E 27 x N 103-9, $10.

Nov 25, 04—Albert M and Martha A Wapple to W W Wamsley, Oakland, lot 13 Hawley tract $70

Nov 14, 04—W W Wamsley (single) to Albert M Wapple, Oakland, S Woolsey 423.13 W Deakin SE 135.455 W 41.57 NW 135.55 E 41.57 lot 13 Hawley tct; $10.

Nov 22, 04—Herbert S and Eva T Fowler to Continental B & L Asn, Brooklyn Tp, W Merrill av 76.26 N Lloyd av N 37-6 W 122 lot 7 and ptn lot 8 in subdvn E Fruitvale Terminal tct, $10

Nov 30, 04—Johanna Ernst (widow) to John J Ormsby, Alameda SE Santa Clara av and (since widening 10 ft on S side) W Willow E 0 x S 137-6 ptn lot 18 blk 21 lds adj to Encinal, $10

MORTGAGES

Nov 26, 04—Sina and Fred Hildebrand (hus) to Farmers and Merchants Savings Bank, Oakland, S 10th 100 E Adeline E 37 xS 100 blk 596 Boardman's map 1 yr; $375

Dec 2, 04—Joseph D and Josephine Heagerty (wife) to same, Berkeley, SE University av or Allston way and Choate st S 126-1 E 109-7 N 146-10 W 114-3 lot 1 blk 1 Villa lots joining University site on south, 1 year, $3500.

Nov 10, 04—Robt N and Maud T Frick to Almeric Coxhead, Berkeley, lots 14 and 16 blk 19 Daley's Scenic Park Dec 31, 190— 9 per cent. $1000.

—Nov 19, 04—Thos P and Herman R Lauffer (both single) to Lucie B Butters (wife Henry A), Berkeley, same as in deed fm Lucie A and Henry B Buters, 2 yrs, $1250.

Dec 3, 04—Ellen E Clark (widow) to Mary E Kelleran, Oakland E Peralta 84 NW 3d N 46 E 108 S 25 W 21 S 19.32 W 101 blk H Bay View Hd 1 year 8 per cent $800.

DEEDS OF TRST.

Dec 3, 04—John J Ormsby (single) to J E B Baker and C E Tabor, trs Bank of Alameda, Alameda, Same as in deed fm Johanna Ernst $1600

Dec 2, 04—C H or Charles H Fairchild to same trs Alameda Savings Bank, Alameda, NW San Antonio av and Paru N 95 x W 90 blk 1 Oak Park, $3500

Dec 2, 04—Alice Maude Belgible Taylor and S Taylor (hus) to G Leonard and F H Clark trs Homestead Loan Assn, Berkeley, E Oxford (Pine) 120 S Eunice (Duran) S 40 x E 134-7 blk 10 ppty Bkly Villa Asn, $400

Dec 3, 04—Charles J McManue to Isaac L Requa and W W Garthwaite trs Oakd Bank of Savings, Oakland, Same as in deed from Ch E or Chas E and Anna J A Hope, $100

MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS

Steamers due and to sail to-day and for the next six days are as follows:

DEPART.

Steamers—	For—	Sail
Curacao	Mexican ports	Dec. 7
Arctic	Eureka, Arcata, etc.	Dec. 7
Brunswick	Fort Bragg	Dec. 7
Santa Monica	Gray's Harbor	Dec. 7
Arcata	Coos Bay	Dec. 8
North Fork	Eureka, Arcata, etc.	Dec. 8
George W Elder	Astoria and Portland	Dec. 8
State of California	San Diego and way ports	Dec. 8
Pomona	Point Arena and Albion	Dec. 8
Bonita	Newport, San Pedro, etc.	Dec. 9
Corona	Eureka, Arcata, etc.	Dec. 9
Eureka	Eureka, Arcata, etc.	Dec. 9
Centralia	Gray's Harbor	Dec. 9
Alameda	Honolulu	Dec. 10
City of Sydney	New York, via Ancon	Dec. 10
Arrella	Astoria and Portland	Dec. 10
Point Arena	Point Arena and Mendocino	Dec. 10
Breakwater	Coos Bay	Dec. 10
Argo	Eel River ports	Dec. 10
Sequoia	Willipa Harbor	Dec. 10
City of Puebla	Victoria, Puget Sound and Alaska	Dec. 11
Santa Rosa	San Diego and way ports	Dec. 11
Pomona	Eureka, Arcata, etc.	Dec. 12

ARRIVE.

Steamers—	From—	Due.
City of Puebla	Alaska, Puget Sound and Victoria	Dec. 7
Corona	Eureka, Arcata, etc.	Dec. 7
Aurelia	Portland and Astoria	Dec. 7
Eureka	Eureka, Arcata, etc.	Dec. 7
Sequoia	Willapa Harbor	Dec. 7
Wellington	Oyster Harbor	Dec. 7
Titania	Oyster Harbor	Dec. 7
Newport	New York, via Acapulco	Dec. 8
Santa Rosa	San Diego and way ports	Dec. 8
Breakwater	Coos Bay	Dec. 8
Argo	Eel River ports	Dec. 8
Point Arena	Mendocino and Point Arena	Dec. 8
Nevadan	Honolulu and Kahului	Dec. 9
Homer	Gray's Harbor	Dec. 9
Saxonia	Hamburg and way ports	Dec. 9
Centralia	San Pedro	Dec. 9
Coos Bay	San Pedro and way ports	Dec. 10
Columbia	Portland and Astoria	Dec. 10
Mackinaw	Tacoma	Dec. 10
Arctic	Eureka, Arcata, etc.	Dec. 11
Brunswick	Fort Bragg	Dec. 11
Newburg	Gray's Harbor	Dec. 11
G C Lindauer	Gray's Harbor	Dec. 11
Ventura	Sydney, via Honolulu and Auckland	Dec. 12
State of California	San Diego and way ports	Dec. 12
Umatilla	Alaska, Puget Sound and Victoria	Dec. 12
Jeanie	Seattle and Tacoma	Dec. 12
Meteor	Seattle	Dec. 12
Rainier	Seattle and Bellingham	Dec. 12
Grace Dollar	Gray's Harbor	Dec. 12
Eureka	Eureka, Arcata, etc.	Dec. 12

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Stmr Fulton, Panzer, 12 hours from Byxbee's Landing.
Stmr Alcazar, Winkel, 16 hours from Greenwood.
Schr Virginia, Nelson, 9 days from Portland.
Stmr Vanguard, Odland, 24 hours from Eureka.
Stmr Charles Nelson, Christensen, 92 hours from Seattle.
Stmr North Fork, Nelson, 26 hours from Eureka.
Stmr State of California, Thomas, 41 hours from San Diego and way ports.
Stmr Enterprise, Younggren, 8 days 22 hours from Hilo.
Stmr Coquille River, Adler, 48 hours from San Pedro.
Stmr Santa Monica, Olsen, 73 hours from Gray's Harbor.
Schr Jennie Griffin, Gibson, 3 hours from Bolinas.
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Schr Fortuna, Holmstrom, 23 days from Everett.

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Notice is hereby given that we, the undersigned, have this day agreed to dissolve co-partnership. The undersigned, David J. Vogt, having purchased all the right, title and interest of the undersigned, Emil R. Fischer, and he said David J. Vogt becoming the sole owner and proprietor of the saloon and wine and liquor business No 328 Twelfth street known as Fischer's Grotto, and the said Emil R. Fischer retiring from said business. All debts existing prior to November 15, 1904, are to be paid and discharged by Emil R. Fischer.

E. R. FISCHER,
DAVID VOGT.

Dated, Oakland, Dec. 1, 1904.

RAILROADS.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC

Trains are due to arrive and leave —At— SIXTEENTH STREET STATION.

Leave—	October 23, 1904.	—Arrive
7:34a	Vacaville, Winters, Rumsey	7:09p
7:34a	Benicia, Suisun, Elmira, Sacramento and way stations	6:40p
8:04a	Vallejo, Napa, Calistoga, Santa Rosa, Martinez and San Ramon	5:45p
8:37a	Shasta Express for Portland, Tacoma, Seattle, via Woodland and Willows	7:09p
8:37a	Davis, Woodland, Knights Landing, Marysville and Oroville	7:09p
9:01a	Port Costa, Martinez, Antioch, Tracy, Stockton, Los Banos, Mendota, Hanford, Visalia, Porterville (arrive via Niles)	3:37p
9:01a	Lathrop, Modesto, Merced, Fresno, Goshen Junction, Bakersfield	4:10p
9:37a	Atlantic Express, Ogden, Omaha, Chicago	4:37p
10:01a	Richmond, Port Costa, Martinez and way stations	6:13p
10:36a	The Overland Limited, Ogden, Omaha, Chicago	5:37p
10:40a	Los Angeles Passenger—Port Costa, Martinez, Byron, Tracy, Lathrop, Stockton, Merced, Fresno, Bakersfield, Los Angeles. Connects at Goshen for Hanford, Lemoore and Visalia and at Los Angeles for all southern points	6:34p
10:40a	Vallejo	11:39a
4:06p	Benicia, Suisun, Elmira, Winters, Sacramento (carries local 2d class)	10:04a
4:06p	Davis, Knight's Landing, Marysville, Oroville	10:04a
4:01p	Port Costa, Martinez, Byron, Lathrop, Modesto, Merced, Fresno	11:39a
4:07p	Yosemite Valley via Wawona Route	8:14a
4:34p	Vallejo, Napa, Calistoga, El Verano, Santa Rosa, Martinez, San Ramon	8:44a
6:34p	The Owl Limited, Fresno, Bakersfield, Santa Barbara and Los Angeles	8:14a
6:41p	Eastern Express, Ogden, Omaha, Chicago and East	12:14p
¶6:41p—		
¶7:38	Vallejo	7:09p
7:38p	San Pablo, Port Costa, Martinez, Richmond	10:38a
7:35p	Reno Passenger, Benicia, Suisun, Elmira, Davis, Sacramento, Truckee, Reno, Tonopah and way	7:03a
8:44p	Oregon and California Express, Portland and the East, via Sacramento and Marysville	8:06a

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Leave		Arrive
8:06a	Niles, Lathrop, Stockton.	6:36p
8:09a	Niles, San Jose Lathrop, Stockton, Lodi and Sacramento	3:37p
8:07a	Oakdale, Chinese, Jamestown, Sonora, Tuolumne, Angels	8:37p
12:34p	Haywards, Niles and way stations, San Jose	2:37p
4:04p	San Leandro, Haywards, Niles and way stations	7:05p
4:35p	Niles, Livermore, Stockton, Lodi, return via Martinez and arrives at 16th street depot	9:46a
5:56p	San Leandro, Haywards, Niles, San Jose, Livermore, connects at San Jose with Sunset Limited for El Paso and East	¶11:06a / 9:11a
¶6:06p	San Leandro, Haywards, Niles, San Jose and way	9:11a
6:37p	San Leandro, Haywards, Niles, San Jose	6:42a
¶9:44p	Niles, San Jose and way, Sunday only	¶8:07a

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Leave		Arrive
8:20a	Newark, Centerville, San Jose, Felton, Boulder Creek, Santa Cruz	5:47p
¶2:20p	Newark, Centerville, San Jose, Santa Cruz	¶10:..a
4:20p	Newark, Centerville, San Jose, Los Gatos	¶8:..a / 10:4.a
*9:30p	Hunters train, San Jose and way	¶7:17p

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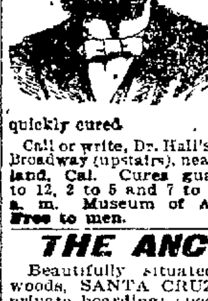

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In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands, this 17th day of November, 1904.

J. FRANK MULQUEENEY, residing at 661 E. Fourteenth street, Oakland, Cal.
BERNARD HANLY, residing at 1237 Fifteenth avenue, Oakland, Cal.

State of California, County of Alameda.—ss.

On this 17th day of November, A. D. 1904, before me, Wm. R. Geary, a Justice of the Peace in and for the County of Alameda, duly elected and sworn, personally appeared J. Frank Mulqueeney and Bernard Hanly, personally known to me to be the persons described in and whose names are subscribed to the within instrument and they acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand at my office in the County of Alameda, State of California, the day and year in this certificate above written.

WM. R. GEARY,
Justice of the Peace of Brooklyn Township, Alameda County, Cal.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate of Mary Ann Chabot, deceased. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned sole executrix of the estate of Mary Ann Chabot, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within ten months after the first publication of this notice to the said executrix at the office of George D. Metcalf, attorney-at-law, rooms 43-45, No. 960 Broadway, which said office the undersigned selects as her place of business in all matters connected with said estate of Mary Ann Chabot, deceased.

ELLEN H. CHABOT,
Sole executrix of the estate of Mary Ann Chabot, deceased.

Dated Oakland Nov. 28, 1904.

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Frank J. Moffitt, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that petition for the probate of the will of Frank J. Moffitt, deceased, and for the issuance to Augusta L. Moffitt of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this court and that Monday, the 12th day of December, A. D. 1904, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day at the Court Room of Department No. 4, of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest same.

Dated November 29, 1904.

JOHN P. COOK,
Clerk.
By MARTIN J. HANLEY,
Deputy Clerk.

ALLEN & WALSH,
Attorneys for petitioner, 1163½ Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

PROBATE NOTICE

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Dora Wiese, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Dora Wiese, deceased, and for the issuance to Frederick Strade of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 21st day of November, A. D. 1904, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the Courtroom of Department No. 4, of said Court at the Courthouse in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated November 10, 1904.

JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.
By A. A. ROGERS, Deputy Clerk.

ELLIOTT B. DAVIS, Attorney for Petitioner, Claus Spreckels Bldg., San Francisco.

TRUSTEES' SALE.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the payment of the sums secured by that certain deed of trust made by C. M. Cook and Louise L. Cook, his wife, to C. E. Palmer and W. H. Friend, trustees, dated November 17th, 1902, and recorded in the office of the County Recorder of Alameda County, California, November 18th, 1902, in Liber 876 of deeds, page 49 thereof, and that upon request of the Home Security Loan Society of Oakland, California, by resolution adopted by its board of directors at a regular meeting thereof, of date September 26th, 1904, the undersigned trustees on Saturday, the 17th day of December, 1904, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of that day, and at the Auction sales rooms of the Realty-Bonds & Finance Co. (Inc.) at No. 1172 Broadway, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for gold coin of the United States.

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Or such part of said real property as in the discretion of said trustees shall be deemed best, terms and conditions of sale, cash in gold coin of the United States, ten per cent on the fall of the hammer; balance on delivery of deed. And if not so paid said ten per cent shall be forfeited and the sale be void.

The Home Security Building and Loan Association of Alameda County, California, named as party of the third part in said deed of trust has by order of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California duly given and made, been permitted and authorized to change its name to the Home Security Loan Society and said Home Security Loan Society, being the owner of the indebtedness secured by said deed of Trust or any other person may become the purchaser at said sale.

Dated Oakland, California, November 22d, 1904.

C. E. PALMER, Trustee.
W. H. FRIEND, Trustee.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate of Josephine Desprez, deceased. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, executor of the last will and testament and codicils thereto of Josephine Desprez, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within ten (10) months after the first publication of this notice to the said executor at the office of Snook and Church, attorneys for the estate of said deceased, room 81, 906 Broadway, Oakland, Alameda County, Cal., which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with said estate of Josephine Desprez, deceased.

A. COMTE, Jr.,
Executor of the last will and testament and codicils thereto of Josephine Desprez, deceased.

Dated, Oakland, Cal., Nov. 22, 1904.

SNOOK & CHURCH,
Attorneys for Estate, 906 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate of James Robinson, deceased. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administrator of the estate of James Robinson, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator at the office of J. J. Burke, attorney for said estate, room 80, No. 906 Broadway street, Oakland, Alameda County, California, which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with said estate of James Robinson, deceased.

J. H. LONG.
Administrator of the estate of James Robinson, deceased.

Dated, Oakland, Nov. 29, 1904.

J. J. BURKE, Attorney for estate, No. 906 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

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COUNCIL UNRAVELING SEWER ENTANGLEMENT.

Proposition of E. B. and A. L. Stone To Relay Pipe If City Pays For It Was Accepted.

There was a partial settlement last night in the City Council of the muddle concerning the sewer in East Fourteenth street and Twenty second avenue. The E B and A L Stone Company agreed to relay the stone pipe in Twenty second avenue which is cracked providing the city paid for the pipe alone

On motion of Councilman Howard this proposition was accepted by an affirmative vote all excepting Councilman Fitzgerald who voted no

The contractors also agreed to send a man through the cement portion of the sewer and have it plastered so as to suit the most fastidious although it is admitted that it will not strengthen the sewer structurally

COMMITTEE REPORTS

The Council Committee composed of Councilmen Meese Wallace and Aitken made a report about the condition of the iron pipe sewer in Twenty second avenue which is cracked for a distance of 3 feet

There was no doubt about the crack the committee said but just what caused it to break no member of the committee could say. There was several opinions given, but no theory which was satisfactory to all

When the appeal from the assessment was taken up for rehearing there were the usual number of protestants present to object to the proceedings in whole or in part. Attorney Blackman representing a client said that he objected to the assessment on the ground that it was unequally distributed

There is no equity in the way the assessment is now adjusted. For instance those who front on Fourteenth street may have to pay as much as $ a front foot while those in the same district are equally as much benefited as those in the lower district but the assessment for them is but a few cents a front foot. My client's property is in the low district. The water of those on the high ground comes down on her property. We are assessed for taking care of the water not only that comes from our property but from other places as well. I do not believe this to be equitable and I think that the Council will take the same view of it

Wallace—Those on the high ground claim that they do not need the storm water sewer as their waters run off and (w) assessed them at a higher rate they would be in it a great injustice

Howard—I would like to know from the superintendent of Streets just what plan was followed in making the assessment

Elliott—On Telegraph avenue the property was assessed by the square foot

Dornin—The two cases are different. In this present case the assessment has been by the square foot plan but the superintendent of Streets has been directed to assess the property in proportion to the benefits derived

Assistant Superintendent of Streets Myers—It is left to the Superintendent of Streets to determine the benefits. We have assessed the East Fourteenth street district by the square foot just as we did the Telegraph district

Wallace—At the time I was responsible for the plan of the assessment. We thought that it was the only equitable plan

Elliott—Well I would like to know about the Telegraph avenue

Myers—The assessment on Telegraph avenue was by the square foot plan. We did not have to determine the benefits

The Council then took up the discussion of the concrete sewer

Attorney Reed said that the contractors were willing to dig up the pipes in the sewer to satisfy any who thought that the work had not been done in accordance with specifications

Councilman Howard asked if the contractors were willing to put the iron pipe in if the city paid for it

Attorney Reed—Yes

Elliott—How much will it cost the city?

Howard—$600

Dornin—We should fix the responsibility

President Dornin—I will appoint you a committee of one to find out just what is the matter with the sewer

Elliott—I would like to know that. I will ask Mr Stone as his opinion what is the trouble

E B Stone—I think that the pipe broke by pressure of one or more ... be ... two foot of water and burst the ...

Attorney Reed—That was after the sewer was accepted by the Superintendent of Streets

Elliott—But I would like to know where the responsibility lies

Howard—I move that the board and let finish this business. On motion of Howard the proposition of E B and A L Stone to lay the pipe and the city ... was adopted. Two resolutions ... ... further hearing of the matter was postponed until December 19

CITY FATHERS IN SESSION

BUSY MEETING IS HELD AND MANY ROUTINE MATTERS ARE HANDLED.

At a meeting of the City Council last night there were present Councilmen Aitken Baccus Cuvellier Elliott Howard Fitzgerald Meese, McAdam, Pendleton Wallace and President Dornin

FOURTEENTH STREET OPENING.

The matter of opening Fourteenth street eastward to Oak street was presented by the Board of Trade. It was referred to the Street Committee where it will come up for investigation and consideration

HARBOR DEEPENING

The Council unanimously adopted the resolution of the Board of Trade calling for the deepening of the harbor by an act of Congress. The Board of Supervisors the Chamber of Commerce of San Francisco and other bodies have endorsed the resolution

CHIEF'S REPORT

Chief of Police Hodgkins reported there were ... saloons in operation now in Oakland

RESOLUTIONS

Resolutions were acted on as follows

Extending for ninety days time for constructing a main outlet sewer in Telegraph avenue Adopted

Ordering grading curbing and macadamizing Magill street from Fifty-seventh to Sixtieth streets Adopted

Authorizing City Clerk to have made a copy of Contra Costa Water Company's statement for 1904 Referred to Auditing and Finance Committee

Authorizing City Engineer to imprint on City Clerk's map sheets etc Referred to Auditing and Finance Committee

Directing grading curbing and macadamizing East Twenty-first street from Seventh to Eighth avenues Adopted

Directing repairing of Franklin street from Seventh to Fourteenth streets with bitumen and appropriating $199 for work

Granting Ransome Construction Co permission to grade curb and macadamize Forty sixth street between Market and West streets and West and Grove streets Adopted

From the Board of Trade requesting Congress to deepen Oakland Harbor Adopted

Opening Fourteenth street through to Oak street Referred to Street Committee

Denying petition of R H Waddell to erect corrugated iron building Adopted

Directing City Engineer to prepare plans and specifications for sewer in Twenty fourth street Adopted

Of intention to grade curb and macadamize Brockhurst street Adopted

Directing grading curbing and macadamizing East Eighteenth street from Thirteenth avenue to Fourteenth avenue Adopted

Adopting specifications to regrade curb and macadamize East Eighteenth street from Thirteenth to Fourteenth avenue Adopted

Directing City Engineer to prepare plans and specifications for sewer in Corning street Adopted Authorizing City Treasurer to deliver deeds to persons entitled thereto in payment of delinquent taxes Adopted

Ordering paid claim of Oakland Gas Light and Heat Company amounting to $7 25 Adopted

Authorizing Board of Health to purchase desk and carpet at a cost not to exceed $2 0 Adopted

Ordering claims of D J Conroy, $1 50 and M Dunn $6 00, paid Adopted

PETITIONS AND PROTESTS

Petitions and protests were acted on as follows

Of G W Burr to sewer Forty-third street Granted

From Oakland Paving Company to grade curb and macadamize Adeline street Referred to Street Committee

To grade curb and macadamize Fifty fourth street from Park street to Adeline street Referred to Street Committee

AGAINST SIDEWALKING TWENTY-THIRD STREET REFERRED TO STREET COMMITTEE

From Twenty-third Avenue District improvement club relative to bituminous crossing on East Fourteenth street and Twenty third avenue Referred to Board of Public Works

Of M V Cooley to extend show window at Seventh and Jackson streets Referred to Street Committee

ORDINANCES

Ordinances were disposed of as follows

Ordering payment of entire cost and expenses for sewer in Channing street Referred to Ordinance and Judiciary Committee

Establishing plumbing regulations Laid over

LIQUOR LICENSES

The following liquor licenses were granted: M Connolly 1687 Atlantic street Fuller and Raffetto, 915 Broadway street S Benedetti 1040 Seventh street Fred Soppenhagen 4891 Telegraph avenue John Nufer 401 East Twelfth street, M Sabatino and R Fitzpatrick 380 Tenth street Alonzo Switzer 1504 Seventh street Birch and Whidden 520 Seventh street Jerry Weiss 719 Clay street Springer and Englehardt 849 Broadway, F F Brink 466 Ninth street

LIQUOR BONDS

Liquor bonds were approved as follows Emil R Fischer and D J Vogt 328 Twelfth street Joe Cook 611 East Twelfth street, J H Inwall 867 Broadway B Guissi and G Rattoni 351 Third street David J Vogt 328 Twelfth street Dan T Meek corner of Twenty sixth and San Pablo avenue Frank Pereira corner Eighth and Washington streets, Springer and Englehardt 849 Broadway

The Council then adjourned until December 19th

FRUITVALE IS AGAINST HOSPITAL.

Four Hundred Protestants Sign Petition to Council Asking That Body to Find Another Site.

Three hundred protestants from Fruitvale against the proposed hospital for contagious diseases were present at the meeting of the City Council last night. They objected to the establishment of the hospital in the close proximity of their town on the ground that it would render the neighborhood unsanitary and objectionable from the standpoint of health

The further objection was made that this city had no legal right to establish a hospital in a sanitary district controlled by another town. If the City of Oakland persisted in building the hospital said the protestants they would resort to injunction proceedings

The legal phase of the protest was referred to the City Attorney

THE PROTEST

The following is the protest which was signed by 400 persons

To the Honorable the City Council of the City of Oakland

Gentlemen—We the undersigned residents and property owners of Fruitvale Alameda County do hereby respectfully protest against the establishment of a pesthouse on the property we understand has been selected for that purpose by your honorable body and in support of our protest beg leave to submit the following reasons

The property selected for the erection of the proposed pesthouse is situated within one block of Fruitvale avenue and two blocks of Park street the two main avenues leading from Fruitvale to Alameda and in a neighborhood already thickly populated and rapidly growing in population and largely by people who own their homes

Property in the immediate neighborhood is available for residence purposes only and its market value depends solely upon its availability for such purposes and the establishment of a pesthouse as contemplated would destroy the value of all said property improved and unimproved and would impose special hardship upon those who have invested in property and built homes thereon

It is also urged that the proposed pesthouse would be a continual menace to the health of the neighborhood not only for the reason that it would be used for a hospital for the treatment of those afflicted with contagious diseases but that persons so afflicted would necessarily be conveyed to such hospital through thickly settled populations and the danger of epidemics would thereby be greatly increased

Your petitioners further allege that the property selected for the purpose mentioned is within the limits of Fruitvale Sanitary District and the Board of Trustees of such district have adopted an ordinance prohibiting the bringing into said district for treatment or otherwise of a person afflicted with a contagious disease and imposing penalties for its violation

Wherefore petitioners pray your honorable body to annul any action if any has been taken contemplating the establishment of a pesthouse on the property on the neighborhood mentioned

After the reading of the protest Attorney Richardson spoke. He said: If you cannot devote any time to the consideration of of this protest I am sure that if it were postponed until such time that full consideration can be given to it that it will meet the wishes of the protestants

President Dornin—There are a number of legal propositions which should be referred to the city attorney

Attorney Richardson—If you cannot hear us this evening we would prefer to have you hear us at some other time

Attorney Cohen—I believe that the question presented in the petition is grave enough to deter you from further action. I do not believe that you have the right to establish a hospital where you propose to

President Dornin—There is a matter which comes up regularly in ten minutes. If Messrs Reed and Daw have no objections we can give these protestants a hearing

Attorneys Reed and Daw—We have no objection

E H Mitwedel—We have heard for some time of the project of a greater Oakland. I believe that the action of the present council in attempting to foist such a nuisance on another community will defeat that project

I lived in another community where a similar act passed and caused riots and bloodshed. We do not wish a similar occurrence here. We want to live in a neighborly way

To show you how vitally we are interested in the question I will ask all those present in the lobby here as protestants to rise (190 persons in attendance then arose)

This shows we are interested. We will fight to the last ditch. You will have an injunction served on you if you persist in erecting the pesthouse

T H W Riley—The hospital which you propose to establish is within 2500 feet of the business district of Fruitvale. It is within 1500 feet of the outskirts of the business portion

Poor people have bought their homes there. They will be subject to having their property depreciated. I ask you in all fairness if you are doing right

Councilman Pendleton then moved that the entire matter be referred to the City Attorney

The motion was then put and carried

STORIES OF THE COUNCIL.

INTERESTING HAPPENINGS AT MEETING OF CITY FATHERS OUT OF THE ROUTINE

Councilman Howard last night took exception to the employment of Engineer J M Howells on the Bay Cities water project unless there was a stipulation as to what he is to receive for his services

While I do not wish to cast any aspersions on the motives of City Engineer Turner or any one else I think that this Council should know just how much the experting of the Bay Cities scheme is going to cost the city of Oakland. I believe that we should ask City Engineer Turner to make a report to us on this matter at once

Elliott—He is now in the wilds of Calaveras Creek. They started on their tour of inspection this morning

Howard—Well we will have to stand the expense I suppose we cannot pull them back

LAMENT OF BACCUS

Councilman William Baccus has had a great weight to bear every since he became a city father. In conjunction with several leading contractors and architects he fathered what is known as the Building Ordinance. When the measure came up last night the hands of the clock pointed to 11. Mr Baccus fellow members of the Council were yawning and gaping and looking furtively at the clock

When City Clerk Thompson began to read A building ordinance providing for and regulating Councilman Howard said: That is such a long ordinance. It will take an hour to read it. I move it lay over until next meeting

Councilman Billy Baccus was on his feet in a moment. You don't lay it over this time. I have been trying for eighteen months to have the Council take some action on this measure. Every one knows that it is important but every time it comes up some one yawns and then some one else says let's go home. The result is the whole Council marched off to bed and the building ordinance is shelved again. I implore you gentlemen to listen to the reading of the ordinance

Howard—Well go ahead

The clerk read the ordinance while there was almost an audible snore from certain Councilmen who are not candidates for re-election. When the second reading came up there was a shout of protest

Dornin—This is too important a matter to be passed to print without more attention being paid to it than there is now. Not a member paid any attention to the first reading. It will cost $3000 to pass it

This figure woke the Council up and they agreed to let the ordinance go over two weeks

All right said Baccus. If you take it up the first thing next meeting

DORNIN'S WRATH

Councilman George Dornin president of the legislative body at the City Hall is usually genial and affable but last night he was mad all the way through

It was the lethargy of the members of the Council that made him mad. When he adjourned the Council he descended the steps of the rostrum

I will be d——d said Dornin using a word which Mayor Olney will not allow on all posters. If I will ever sit in the chair again where there is so much apathy lack of interest and confusion

This outbreak was caused principally by Billy Baccus building ordinance

Mr Dornin was not through cussing his fellow members of the Council when he reached the floor of the Council. As he put on his overcoat and descended the long stairways of the City Hall he gently toasted the City Council for its cold indifference and miserable inattention

Hereafter I will declare every motion lost until the Council comes to a semblance of order

SIX SALOONS IN ONE BLOCK

On the ground that there were six saloons in one block and that if the application of H Joseph's and J G Hurr for a saloon at the corner of San Pablo avenue and Frederick street was granted there would be seven H Hoffman and others asked the Council not to grant a new license. This matter was referred to the license committee

COUNTRY CLUB ROAD.

The franchise to the Oakland Traction Company from Broadway to the Country Club was finally granted by the Council last night. The sum of $700 was paid for the franchise

TURNER TELLS OF HOWELLS

WRITES LETTER TO COUNCIL RELATIVE TO ENGINEER NOW EXPERTING BAY CITIES

In a communication to the City Council last night City Engineer Turner gave the following information about J M Howells the engineer serving on the board experting the Bay Cities project

To the Honorable the Council of the City of Oakland—Gentlemen: I take pleasure in informing you that Mr J M Howells has been selected as the third member of the commission to report on the project of the Bay Cities Water Company. I met Mr Howells about eight years ago while on United States government work at San Diego at which time he was president of the San Diego Water Company and also of the San Diego Flume Company and I consider him by training and experience as well as by character one of the most fortunate selections possible. He has built water works managed them in operation and experted them for bond buyers and capitalists probably a score of such reports of his being in England now

"Many other names were canvassed in connection with this work but were passed over because of past business relations either by direct employment or by having been witnesses in litigations with either the Spring Valley or Contra Costa Companies or with Mr Lewis. Other men of reputation in different branches of engineering work were not selected as we desired an expert in this specialty of water supply and still others because of not being personally known to one or other of the commission

I herewith enclose a hastily drawn account of Mr Howells professional record

Very respectfully

"F C TURNER City Engineer

FOURTH ANNUAL BALL.

OAKLAND LODGE 123, FRATERNAL BROTHERHOOD, TO GIVE LARGE AFFAIR

The fourth grand annual ball of the ... Oakland Lodge No 123 of the Fraternal Brotherhood at Maple Hall Thursday evening December 8 will be one of the most important social events of the ... season. The various committees in charge have been working diligently in behalf of the affair and their efforts are very much appreciated. The ... which has ... nearly ... has sent out a large number of invitations and the ball ... to be a success

The hall is being ... decorated for the occasion. A ... band has been engaged ... the ... ... will be served throughout the evening

Dancing will commence at 8:30 the ...

MARRIAGE LICENSES

The following marriage licenses were issued by the County Clerk today

George F Brown San Francisco	45
... Rose ... Bragg	...
Heinrich R ... Berkeley	24
... ...	
Arthur J St Clair Livermore	...
... B Allen Livermore	18
... Curtis San Francisco	...
... Myer San Francisco	18
R... M Holman San Francisco	40
... Jean Snyder Oakland	...

PROHIBITION MEETING

The Women's Prohibition Club will hold a public meeting this evening at ... Broadway Prohibition headquarters. The public is requested to come and get ... ... in the Prohibition work. A good program is being prepared

BABY'S VOICE

Is the joy of the household for without it no happiness can be complete. How sweet the picture of mother and babe, angels smile at and commend the thoughts and aspirations of the mother bending over the cradle. The ordeal through which the expectant mother must pass, however, is so full of danger and suffering that she looks forward to the hour when she shall feel the exquisite thrill of motherhood with indescribable dread and fear. Every woman should know that the danger, pain and horror of child-birth can be entirely avoided by the use of Mother's Friend, a scientific liniment for external use only, which toughens and renders pliable all the parts, and assists nature in its sublime work. By its aid thousands of women have passed this great crisis in perfect safety and without pain. Sold at $1.00 per bottle by druggists. Our book of priceless value to all women sent free. Address BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO., Atlanta, Ga.

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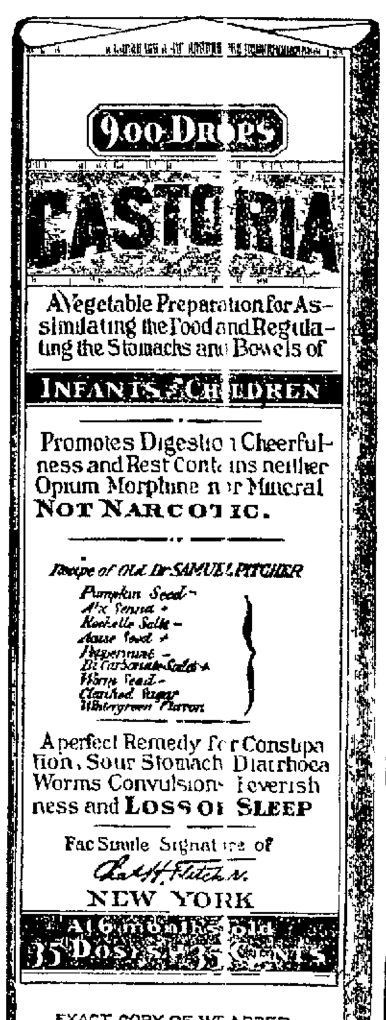

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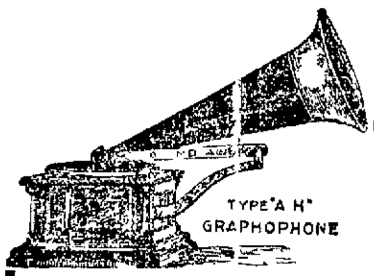

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